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SEPTEMBER

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17 B.U.S.C. garden party, St. John's University Campus, 4 to 6.30
19 Cradle Bridge/Mahjongg Tea, For. Y., 3
19 Choral Society, 1st Practice, 5.30
22 Rotary Club, Metropole Hotel, 12.30
29 Rotary Club, Metropole Hotel, 12.30

OCTOBER

5 Bridge/Mahjongg Tournament, BFRC, 3
5 A.D.C., "I Killed the Count", Lyc., 9
6 A.D.C., "I Killed the Count", Lyc., 9
7 A.D.C., "I Killed the Count", Lyc., 9
7 Shanghai Philatelic Society
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## Coal Prices:

### Is there a Shortage

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—I agree with the other Gas Users that it is extremely unfair to charge $0.50 per month for gas meters. But what can we do when excessive increases on all general utilities are kindly sanctioned by the S.M.C. Maybe the latter will show us a way to meet all the expenses we have to bear.

Re the coal situation, although your paper showed an illustration recently on coal movements in Shanghai, I understand that prices are soaring and a shortage expected this winter. Why is this when there is actually no shortage? I would also like to protest against the high rents but what is the use?

TOTTERING.

Shanghai, Sept. 13.

## Correspondence:

### A Letter of Criticism

To the Editor of the
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SIR,—In most newspapers, the correspondence column is of very real interest to many readers; but it ceases to be so, when the contents of the letters to the Editor ceases to be worthy of real interest. When this happens, a letter of real public interest is very liable to be overlooked, for many readers refuse to waste any more time scanning the correspondence column.

May we not hope that the "silly season" is now over, and permanently? Lately, we have been surfeited with abusive, protracted and inconclusive political arguments; with a shower of doggerel utterly unworthy of being termed "verse" and whose subject-matter (if any) was simply fatuous: with a series of letters which are long, pointless and not even witty—we have an example in today's edition, something about a "Plebian's (sic!) Thanksgiving" (no one I have met sees any meaning at all in it); and finally with long disquisitions concerning a riddle which most of us solved before we had entered our teens!

Surely, sir, if the correspondence Column is intended to be read, it should be worth reading?

QUARTUS.

Shanghai, Sept. 12.

***The Correspondent is to be congratulated on his undoubted ability to spell.—Ed.

**Several letters have been held over owing to pressure on space.

# Herr Hitler Inveighs Against Attitude of Democracies

### Rights of Sudeten Germans Firmly Asserted; Full Text of Nuremberg Address Given

Nuremberg, Sept. 12.

THE Fuehrer wound up the National Socialist party rally of Greater Germany this evening with a speech which began with the development of the party from its first rally in September 1923, when every National Socialist—he declared—was fighting against persecution and defamation up to the present moment when, as the chief organ of the state, the party finds itself fighting the very same forces.

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"We all recall those days with a feeling of pride. Everybody was against us. National Socialism meant to be defamed and forsaken by all. Everybody hated and persecuted us and countless is the number of those of us who had to pay for their belief with imprisonment. Many of us shed their blood and died for our idea when terror without compare was used against us. Those times are near to us today in a twofold sense, firstly because we see in our midst as compatriots and citizens of the German Reich our fellow fighters from the Ostmark. How much they had to put up with and how many of their comrades were slain. How many of them had to spend year after year in jail and internment camps. Secondly it is a fact that in the great happenings in the world of today there is almost an exact repetition of the things we lived through and had to put up within our own country and what is more, our present enemies of today are in point of ideology identical with those of the past."

#### 15 Years' Comparisons

The Fuehrer then went on to draw a comparison between the first party rally 15 years ago and today. Then it was a band of fighters, today it is a demonstration of a united and assertive nation. Internal discussion has been finally and definitely replaced by national unity with the National Socialist party as the recognized representative of the broad masses of the people. An integration of political and economic leadership of manual and brain workers had to be achieved and to this end it was found necessary to expurgate the Jewish influence from this national fellowship.

An authoritarian guidance of the nation's affairs—the Fuehrer went on—was only possible when the most capable sons of the people, and even if they be the sons of the poor, are given the opportunity to rise to the highest positions. In this way a guarantee is given that no further differences will arise between leadership and people, which, however, become unavoidable if the leaders are drawn from an alien race.

The path for the fulfilment of mighty tasks was thrown open and in a few years those responsible for the guidance of state affairs succeeded in overcoming economic distress and freeing the nation from its political fetters which had threatened to enslave it for all time to come. The new German national community, the Fuehrer declared, is no abstract conception but lives visibly as an organisation.

The National Socialist party, Hitler continued, is a defence force of the national community and is annually training millions of young Germans for important political tasks. The party serves the interests of all and when this fact is realised, measures which for the time being may seem to be unpopular will be understood since they are necessary for maintaining the health, strength and prosperity of the community.

#### Democracies and Bolshevism

"Since our accession to power—the Fuehrer stated—a unified front has opposed us and just as the capitalist democracies have allied themselves with Communism internally so we today perceive the same conspiracy between democracy and Marxism against the National Socialist state. Our reactions are the same today when we realize that the so-called world democracies, which have always advocated liberty, fraternity, justice and the right of self-determination of peoples, have aligned themselves with Bolshevism.

Asking the question why National Socialism was compelled to draw the democracies into the circle of its closest consideration, the Fuehrer answered his own question by declaring "Because we are forced to regard ourselves as the victims of an attack. Secondly because their very attitude arouses our intensest indignation Hypocrisy begins at the moment when democracies designate themselves as the governments of the people and denounce authoritarian states as dictatorships. I believe I may safely say that only two governments in the world today enjoy the support of 99 per cent. of their people. How false and hypocritical on the other hand the internal character of those who declare themselves to be democracies can be clearly seen in the attitude they assume towards the rest of the world when compelled by necessity. We noted that governments by brute force were actually praised when this suited the aim of the democracies and that they declared themselves willing even to fight for such regimes if necessary, while on the other hand great demonstrations of confidence in those states which are not democracies were ignored or misinterpreted. These democracies even glorify Bolshevism although it terms itself the dictatorship of the proletariat. In other words, the democracies dare brand countries whose governments are supported by 99 per cent. of their people as dictatorships and other nations whose governments declare themselves to be dictators

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and are able to exist only by force of mass murder, executions, persecution etc. are admired as highly honourable democratic institutions. It is a grim mockery in world history that the representative of the most ghastly tyranny of all times, i.e. Bolshevism, is an honourable member in the company of the democracies. They speak of equality of rights and at the same time attempt to deprive a nation of 75 millions of even the most primitive rights of man. These were denied even before Germany was ruled by the National Socialists and was under democratic and Marxist control. For 15 years they opposed the most natural of human rights, composed dictates, compelled and suppressed us politically and then afterwards denounced with hypocritical indignation our "one-sided violation of sacred pledges and the breaking of still more sacred treaties." Without ever troubling themselves to consider the opinion of the native populations, they have subjected continents by the employment of sanguinary force, but when Germany demands the return of her colonies they declared with sudden anxiety that it would be impossible under any circumstances to deliver the native populations over to a fate of this sort. Yet at the same time no compunction was shown in employing aeroplanes to bring to reason natives in their own colonies who did not wish to tolerate alien rule. These, added the Fuehrer with sarcasm, are surely civilised forms in contrast to the brutality used by Italy in Abyssinia.

#### Unbearable Attitude of Democracies

After a renewed reference to the Jewish influence, Hitler then remarked that all these big democracies, taken as a whole, have only a couple of inhabitants to the square kilometre, whereas Italy and Germany have over 140 and for this reason alone they had no room for Jews.

"Today we are being abused, but we are in a position to prevent any exploitation and rape of Germany. The state which preceded us was subjected to blackmail for 15 years but for that it receives from me the somewhat meagre compensation of praise of being a kind and democratic state. The attitude of the democracies, however, becomes for us unbearable when these let loose a flood of democratic phrases in the form of a threat against our people at a moment when a large and seemingly defenceless section of our people is being suppressed and maltreated."

"I speak of Czechoslovakia. That state is a democracy. That is to say it was founded in accordance with democratic principles in that, without putting a question to them, the majority of inhabitants of this state were simply and brutally compelled to accept and adjust themselves to the construction manufactured in Versailles. As a genuine democracy, the majority of inhabitants in this state straightaway began to be oppressed and raped.

"The constitution of this state, being made by democrats, serves not the people but the political ends of the oppressors which in turn demanded a dominant position of power for the Czech people. Whosoever opposes this attitude is, according to the democratic concept, an enemy of the state and thus an outlaw. If it were the question of a foreign nation which did not concern us, we might in this case as in many others observe it as an interesting demonstration of the democratic conception of freedom and self-determination but that which demands our interest in the present case is something very natural. Among the nationalities which are suppressed in this state are 3,500,000 Germans. These Germans are also children of God and were not created to be victimized by a foreign power as a result of the Versailles reconstruction of states. Nor did he create 7,500,000 Czechs merely so that they might guard and control, not to speak of suppress and torture, these 3,500,000 Germans.

#### Conditions in Czechoslovakia

"Conditions in this state are unbelievable. From a political point of view, 7,000,000 persons have been deprived of the right of self-determination, from an economic point of view they are being methodically ruined and slowly exterminated.

"Democratic representatives may regard this situation with indifference or perhaps even with sympathy since it concerns only 3,500,000 persons but I can tell these representatives that to us it is not a matter of indifference and that if these tortured creatures are not able to obtain justice and assistance through their own efforts, they will receive both from us. This depriving of rights must come to an end.

"In my address before the Reichstag on February 22. I declared that the Reich would no longer tolerate the suppression and persecution of these 3,500,000 Germans, and that I would urge foreign statesmen to convince themselves of the fact that these were not empty phrases. The National Socialist state has made great sacrifices for the European peace, particularly of a national nature. It not only declined support of the desire for revenge but even eradicated such ideas from the public and private life."

#### Offers in European Crisis

Referring in this connection to the fact that Alsace-Lorraine had changed hands several times, the Fuehrer said that the Strassburg Cathedral meant very much to the German people. "If in spite of this we have drawn a definite line, this happened on behalf of the future of European appeasement. Nobody would have been able to compel us to renounce a claim of this kind had we not done so of our own free will. We renounced this claim because it was our will to end for all time the eternal conflict with France. The Reich took like measures on other parts of its frontier. National Socialism has particularly in this respect shown itself to be inspired by the highest sense of responsibility. We took upon ourselves the greatest sacrifices in making these renunciations in order to preserve peace in Europe for the future and to pave the way for a reconciliation of the peoples. We have acted loyally. Impelled by the same spirit, I have made offers designed to effect a solution of the European crisis but these offers met with rejection."

With reference to Britain, he said: "We have of our own free will confined our power to our most important territory in the hope of never having to cross arms with the state in question. This was not done because there may be some doubt as to our ability to build more than 35 per cent. of the British navy but simply to make a contribution towards European appeasement."

#### Will Support German Interests

Another contribution of this sort made by Germany, declared the Fuehrer, was the pact with Poland. "Germany has on many sides frontiers," the Fuehrer continued, "with which she is completely satisfied and she has given corresponding pledges to accept these frontiers as unalterable from now on in order to give Europe a feeling of security and peace. This self-confinement and restriction is, however, apparently regarded on many sides merely as a sign of weakness. I want therefore to correct this mistake. I do not believe there can be effective European peace if there remains doubt that the Reich does not intend to remain disinterested in all European questions and particularly that Germany is not willing to regard the suffering and privation of 3,500,000 Germans with indifference. We understand it when England and France support their interests and I should like to assure the statesmen in Paris and London that there are also German interests which we are determined to support under all circumstances. May I recall my Reichstag address of 1933 in which I stated for the first time that there can arise national questions in which our course of conduct is clearly defined and that in such cases I would undergo every privation and danger than fail to pursue this course.

No European state has done more to preserve peace than Germany, nor has any made greater sacrifices. But it will be understood that even sacrifices have a limit. During the present year, Czechoslovakia planned after repeated postponements to hold at least local elections since Prague realized the impossibility of a further procrastination in this matter. But fearing the unity of Germans and other nationalities, it was deemed necessary to resort to special measures in order to influence the election results. The Czechoslovak Government decided that the only means to gain this end would be the instilling of timidity through the display of brute force. In order to give this demonstration a plausible explanation Dr. Benes mobilized his troops under the pretense that Germany had mobilized her army and was on a point of invading the country. I should like on this occasion to make the following declaration: The circulation of such mendacious assertions is not new. About one year ago, the foreign press announced that 20,000 German soldiers had landed in Morocco. At that time, a declaration to the French Ambassador sufficed. On this latter occasion the lie was circulated over the world to the effect that German troops were at the Czechoslovak frontier.

#### No Intention of War

"No word of this statement is true. Several declarations to this effect were issued from the German side, and the Prague Government was also informed but Prague needed this deception as an excuse for its election chicanery.

"*I can assure it at this late date firstly that at that time not a single additional German soldier was called upon and secondly that not a single regiment or military detachment marched to the frontier.*

"In spite of our assurances, that despicable campaign began in which all of Europe was mobilized in the service of the criminal aims of a Government that intended to place the election under military pressure. Unscrupulous accusations were levelled at our nation and all of Europe was alarmed to the point of plunging into a sanguinary war.

"Germany possessed no such intention and on the contrary was convinced that the local elections would confirm the right of the Sudeten Germans. The Reich's Government took no step whatsoever and this was then interpreted as retreat under the threat of serious intervention by France and England.

"A big power cannot afford to tolerate an infamous assault of this kind a second time. I have therefore taken care to draw the necessary consequences. I am a National Socialist and as such accustomed to hitting back. Nevertheless the German Reich is peace-loving.

#### Hitler's Grave Measures

"Taking into consideration the Czech attitude of May 28, I decided upon very grave measures. Firstly, the announced measures for the strengthening of army and air force were at my command immediately extended to an extraordinary decree and straightaway put into force. Secondly, I ordered the immediate construction of fortifications in the west. I am able to assure you that since May 28, the most gigantic system of fortifications of all times is in the process of erection in that quarter. In all, upwards of 360,000 workers as well as 100,000 members of the Labour Service Corps, several battalions of pioneers and a few infantry divisions are engaged on the German fortifications in the west which have been for two years already in the process of construction. Nearly 8,000 railway trucks of material are being transported daily to that region while the total daily consumption of gravel amounts to upwards of 100,000 tons.

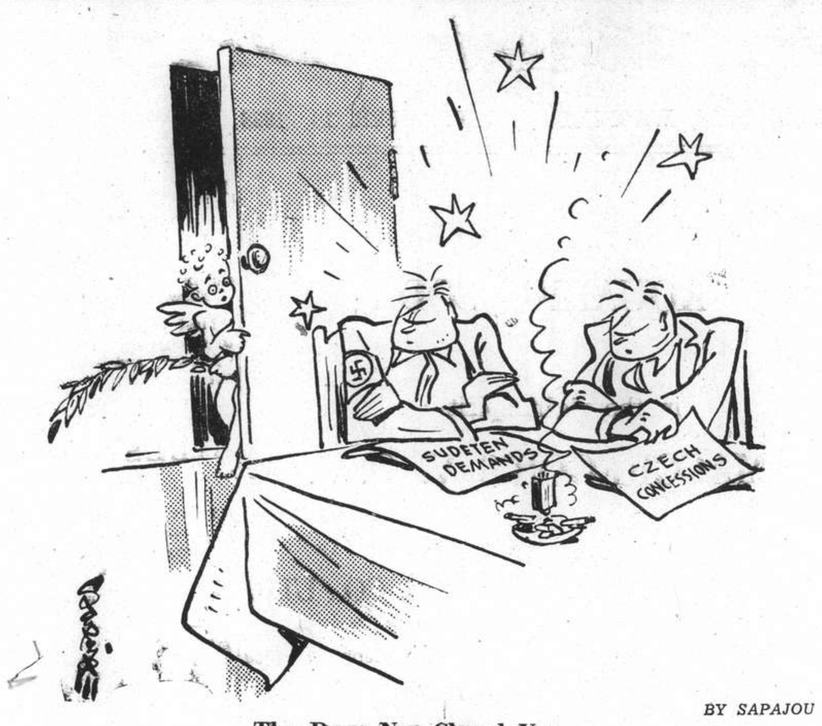
"Germany's fortifications in the west will be completed before the coming of the winter. Their defensive power is already fully guaranteed. Upon their completion, they will comprise in all upwards of 17,000 gun bases. And behind them stands the entire German people in arms. I have made this most tremendous effort of all times in the service of peace.

#### Czechs Must Settle With Sudetens

"Under no circumstances, however, am I prepared to continue calmly looking on at any further suppression of German compatriots in Czechoslovakia. Dr. Benes is engaging in tactics. He talks and seeks to organize negotiations on the Geneva pattern. But that won't do in the long run. It is here not a question of empty phrases but of the right of Germans, a question of the right to self-determination possessed by every other people. Dr. Benes is not asked to present a gift to these Sudeten Germans. They have the right to demand individual life just as any other people. I believe that I am serving peace by leaving no doubt regarding this situation. I have not demanded that Germany be accorded the right to suppress 3,500,000 Frenchmen or Englishmen but I do demand that the persecution of the 3,500,000 Germans in Czechoslovakia cease and that the right of self-determination be instituted. We should be sorry if through this attitude our relations with other European states became more difficult. It is up to the Czechoslovak Government to come to a decision with the duly appointed representatives of the Sudeten German Party. My interest and that of all of us is to see that justice in this case does not become injustice.

"This is a question of Germans and I do not intend to permit a second Palestine to develop here. The Arabs are defenceless and forsaken but the Germans in Czechoslovakia are neither defenceless nor forsaken. I declare in the name of the German people that we are ready to assume this position and to accept the consequences whatever they may be. We shall no longer tolerate the presumption of a small state that is nothing more than a momentary upstart."

The Fuehrer then turned to the historical destiny of the German Reich, declaring that after a long period of slumbering it has now reawakened. No power in the world will any longer be able to remove the German Reich or the Italian Imperium, he declared.—Trans-Ocean.

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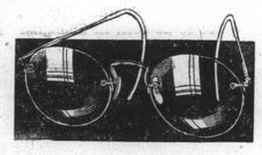

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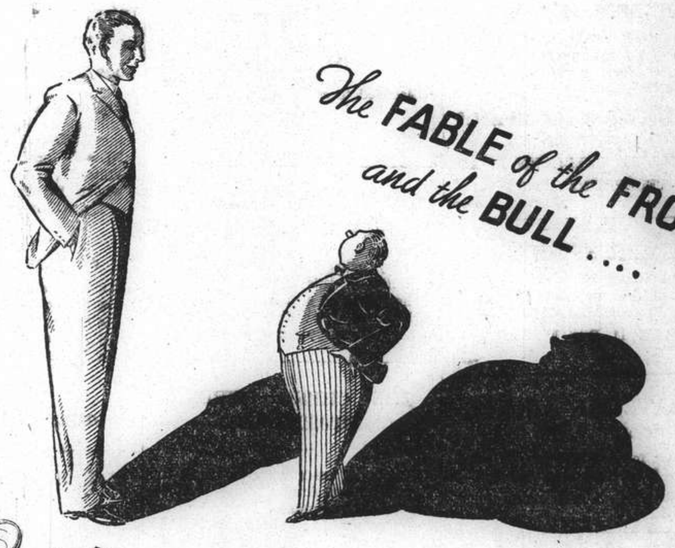


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# News and Notes from Home

## Annual Meeting of British Association; Sir Frederick Maze's Contribution of Junks

By O. M. Green

*(Editor, "North-China Daily News," 1911-1930)*

London, Aug. 20.

BETWEEN wondering whether Germany's colossal mobilization is real business or merely to make our flesh creep, and whether Ames's finger will be fit for today's Test match, we have as usual been getting a lot of wild amusement from the British Association. Nearly 3,000 members are hurrying feverishly from lecture to lecture in Cambridge. One weary journalist pines for roller skates; or better still, that every lecture might be relayed to a central room in which with head-phones the reporter might pick up what he wanted.

From its beginning in 1931 the "British Ass" has known all about publicity long before the word was invented. Sir David Brewster, its creator, defined its purpose as the cultivation of friendship among scientists and mutual stimulation of their researches. That gives plenty of latitude. Then it got the Church against it. Keble, author of the Christian Year, was horrified at Oxford inviting, in 1932, this "hodge podge of philosophers" to meet within her walls, their "nonsense about atoms and such-like" was "playing the devil's game." Later on Dickens attacked the Ass as "the mudfog association."

But it went on serenely, discussing, besides reverely scientific subjects, such absorbing human topics as the "old school tie," one-way traffic, the slump in marriages, cricket bats and the thinking powers of fish. All these, of course, make good headlines. And the Ass always meets in August when there are few rival attractions.

This year the inaugural speeches found both scientists and engineers on the defensive. Lord Rayleigh for the former, Prof. Southwell for the latter, protested strongly against being held responsible for the terrors which the world suffers from high explosive, poison gas, aeroplanes and submarines. Because the world has grossly misused some of the work of science and engineering, they argued, it must not forget the immense benefits they have also conferred. Which is true enough.

Yet it is difficult to think of any of the more conspicuous inventions of the last forty years with the exception, perhaps, of X-rays—of which we have not made at least as much a curse as a blessing. One is tempted to wish that every new invention now might be put in cold storage until all proper and improper uses of it had been sifted down to the last possibility. After which it and its inventor would in all probability be painlessly destroyed.

### Mr. Wells on Education

Mr. H. G. Wells was allowed to hold forth on the subject of education. He condemned the conservatism of teachers, urging them to think seriously whether they were "trying to pickle an old world or to create a new one." He was amazed to find how few teachers appeared ever to have thought of "giving the future citizen a picture of the world into which he has to go." Teachers whom he asked about this replied that their business was teaching. They might have added that they were not prophets, and consequently had no idea of the "brave new world" which each rising generation obstinately maps out for itself, regardless of its seniors' warnings.

Meanwhile the Moslem community was marching through London to picket Mr. Wells's house until he recants and apologizes for the rude things he has been writing about Mohammed and the Koran. I saw the procession streaming along the Embankment; this meant a long walk, as Mr. Wells lives in Regent's Park; but no demonstration that considers itself anything can neglect the Embankment.

As Mr. Wells was in Cambridge, the picketing was rather like the "ragging" of an unpopular undergraduate's rooms at a university. But no doubt it relieved, the demonstrators' feelings, and Mr. Wells will keep away till they have cooled down while the police protect his property from actual ragging.

### Crash of Tanfield

A few years ago the "bright young things" of London invented the amusement of nightly "treasure hunts," and dashed perilously from point to point in motor cars and pursuit of clues. A much more real treasure hunt is now absorbing the attentions of all London and particularly Mr. Percy Phillips, trustee for the creditors of Tanfield, the share-pusher, who is now in Wormwood Scrubbs on a seven-years' sentence.

Before the crash came Tanfield is believed to have bought and hidden away large quantities of gold and jewels. There is also his estate White Place at Taplow. Ten days ago Mr. Phillips put in bailiffs here. Then appeared before the courts a Mr. Abraham Kacher, claiming to have bought White Place and its contents for £30,000, and asking that the bailiffs should be expelled. But the defence retorted that the sale was a bogus one to defeat justice, and the Courts refused to turn the bailiffs out. Tanfield has a safe, with a safe deposit company in Westminster, which is to be blown open as the key is lost, but it is not expected to yield much more than the safe of the famous Mme. Humbert who swindled all Paris about 37 years ago and vanished with the swag, leaving in her safe a few worthless letters and a waistcoat button.

Today comes the exciting report that anonymous information has reached Mr. Pillips telling him exactly where the treasure is. Besides gold and jewels it is said to include "priceless" old ivories and valuable furs. Also Mr. Phillips is said to have been given the names of various City men to whom Tanfield had paid large cheques for unspecified purposes.

A picturesque figure in the mystery is Mrs. Tanfield the beautiful young American wife, lying at her husband's villa at Cannes too ill to come to England. She seems well enough, however, to have got to Paris, whither Mr. Phillips has gone to interview her. Whether he will get more than the reporters, who found Mrs. Tanfield's doors tight shut against the world, is a doubtful question, as is also that hoard of gold and jewels. If I were one of Tanfield's creditors I would sell my chance of a share in it for a very small sum down.

### Embankment Trams to Go

Among the continual restless changes of London it is announced that the tram-lines on the Embankment are to go and that trolley-buses with overhead wires are to take their place. Already the trams have disappeared from large parts of west and north London, and in five years' time it is said there will be no trams left. Already protests are heard against spoiling the Embankment's beauty with overhead wires. But the Transport Board promises that at least the trees shall not suffer. More serious is the case of the bridges which the wires certainly will not beautify.

But what a theme for moralizing on the money spent by one generation on improvements which its successors will tear to pieces. One need not be very old to remember the horse buses, with the extra horse waiting to help the tram up the steeper hills. Then came electric trams, at one time the glory of the L.C.C. John Burns believed they would be immortal and scoffed at the idea of motor buses competing with them.

Hundreds of thousands of pounds were spent on tram-lines, which are now being filled in and levelled till it is convenient to take them away. The argument for trolley buses is that their flexibility makes them less of an obstruction to traffic. But one queries this. You do at least know where a tram is going. A trolley-bus simply comes charging all over the place.

### Sir Frederick Maze's Gift

Sir Frederick Maze's splendid gift to the Science Museum in South Kensington of models of ten of the principal types of Chinese junk is at last properly arranged, all the models together, to enable visitors to compare one with another. The last one presented, a superb Foochow junk over 10ft. long, gaily painted in red, blue, green, black and gold, gave some trouble owing to the large size of glass case it needed. But there it is now on show with the others grouped round it.

All the models are perfect in every detail and built to scale, a most, valuable record as Chinese junks were giving way to steamers even before the Japanese Navy had begun to amuse itself by sinking them and potting at their crews in the water. For example the five-masted Shantung junk is now viritually extinct; and the Formosa Channel junks, shaped exactly like a slice of melon, very good sea boats, very popular with old painters of Chinese scenes, are becoming scarcer and scarcer.

One learns a lot by going round this collection. Did you know for example that the inhabitants of the Canton "Slipper-boats" (or many of them) were descendants of the Mongols, who fled from the Mings about 1370, got aboard the boats and there remained, profiting by the usual Chinese dislike for pushing a defeated enemy too far? Did you know that an Amoy fishing boat must not completely lower its sails till the catch is complete? that the Hainan junks famous for speed and seaworthiness were using movable centre-boards long before anyone also had thought of them? and that the Chinese were at least seven centuries ahead of Europe in building junks with strong bulkheads to divide the boat into a series of watertight compartments?

### Ghosts in English Castles

Ghost-hunting has become popular. Some weeks ago an enterprising German wrote to "the Times" that he had heard that the English nobility could not let their castles because of the ghosts in them and undertaking to de-ghost any castle for a modest fee and all expenses. Naturally the Psychical Research Society protested against this invasion of home industries.

The "News-Chronicle" has now discovered an unhappy boarding-house keeper in Golder's Green (of all unlikely places) whose house is so disturbed with noises, bangs, falls, knockings, sighings and footsteps, that her nerves are going to pieces and her lodgers going elsewhere. And a day or two ago I caught sight of a picture of a partially burnt-out house (I fear I forget where) whose three ghosts were now homeless. Perhaps they have moved to Golder's Green.

But one suspects that like the Loch Ness Monster (which tried to "stage a come back" this summer with very poor success) the ghosts will disappear when the world gets back to work.

## Air Defence Manœuvres

Tokyo, Sept. 12.

Under conditions resembling actual warfare, five days of air defence manœuvres, covering nineteen prefectures in eastern Japan, including Tokyo, Yokohama, Sendai and Aomori, started at 9 a.m. today. The first three days will comprise a preliminary stage, although the air raid alarm will be given once each day and night from the beginning.

Squadrons of military and naval planes will "attack" Tokyo and other cities with dummy bombs, and will be "challenged" from the sea, land and air. Unlike past manœuvres, in which all operations were announced beforehand, air "attacks" this time will be of a surprise nature.

When "hostile" planes appear all traffic in the streets will have to come to a stop, only official motor cars and ambulances being allowed to move. For the first time planes will take to the air to "engage" the raiders, and try to "repulse" them.—Reuter.

**The Royal Family Afloat**

*Early last month Their Majesties, King George and Queen Elizabeth, and the Princesses Elizabeth and Margaret Rose boarded the Royal yacht for a cruise.*

# The Most Haunted House

## Strange Happenings in Old Suffolk Rectory; Rector's Wife Struck and Thrown Out of Bed

The "most haunted house in England," standing in a remote Suffolk village of 120 people, is now without a tenant. Mr. Harry Price, Hon. Secretary of the University of London Council for Psychical Investigation, who has been directing observations there, considers the story of the house to be one of the most remarkable in his wide experience.

This must be the only case of a reputed haunting in which observers have received elaborate printed instructions. Those on guard in this Suffolk rectory were told to watch for such phenomena as bell-ringing, footsteps, forms or apparitions, the inexplicable movement of objects; lights, perfumes, raps, or knocks, apports (objects abnormally brought or precipitated into the house), thermal variations and unaccountable disappearances.

All these manifestations have been noted in the house. Mr. Price, whose exhaustive book on the subject will be published next spring, told the complete story, for the first time, to a representative of "The Observer."

### Lay Brother's Romance

The rectory, a sombre house built about 1865 on the foundations of a thirteenth century monastery, has some twenty-five rooms, and stands in very extensive grounds through which runs a small stream. The grounds adjoin the churchyard, and part of the garden was the site of a Plague pit. There is the remains of a tunnel which once led to the nunnery of Bures seven miles away.

Local legend says that, long ago, a lay brother at the monastery attempted to elope with a novice from Bures. They left in a black coach drawn by two bay horses, and were chased and overtaken. The brother was hanged and the girl walled up alive in the nunnery.

The present story begins many years ago, on a sunny afternoon in July, when the three sisters who own the property saw the figure of a nun moving slowly along what is now known as the Nun's Walk leading towards the church. The youngest sister, then aged twenty-five, ran across and spoke to the figure, which vanished.

In the year 1929 a new rector came to the parish and entered the house at which there had been curious happenings for some forty years. Although this rector spent £200 on putting the property in order, he could stay for only a few weeks.

### Manifestations

During his troubled tenancy the figure of the nun appeared—she is seen annually, it is said, on July 28;—a strange light, plainly visible from the garden, was seen on several evenings in one of the disused bedrooms; a large red tile crashed through the roof of the plate-glass verandah, narrowly missing Mr. Price and another investigator; and a glass candlestick hurtled down the "well" of the house and smashed in pieces. All the bells of the house were rung, stones and keys were tossed about, and stones flung from outside against the windows.

The manifestations continued even when the house was left empty, with doors and windows securely fastened. Mr. Price found, during his investigation, that former servants had heard queer footsteps and the sound of smashing crockery. A former rector, who died in the house, had told several people that he had often heard the sound of horses' hoofs on the empty road outside the house: he claimed, indeed, to have seen the legendary coach pass twice across his lawn, and he was not alone in this belief.

For a time the house was left empty. Then in the autumn of 1930 another rector took the living, and at once the manifestations became more frequent and serious. This rector, who at one period kept a circumstantial diary with a full record of phenomena, stayed until the autumn of 1935 when his health failed.

### Investigations

The diocesan Bishop then joined two parishes so that a new rector would have no need to live in the haunted house. In the summer of 1937 the University of London Council for Psychical Investigation took the place for twelve months, and during that period a body of observers maintained a day-and-night vigil with remarkable results.

Mr. Price produced the rector's diary. The writer, here called for convenience "Mr. Robinson," came to the house in October, 1930. At once the trouble started. The rector's wife thought that she heard him calling her name, "Marianne dear"; on several occasions people—including a workman in the house—heard the sound of footsteps.

Then Mrs. Robinson declared that she saw the apparition of a former rector—who had died in the house—wearing a peculiar coloured dressing-gown. Both Mr. Robinson and his wife noticed certain smells, one "wonderfully delicate" like lavender; an odd odour of cooking would come through the bedroom window between 11 and 12 at night; crockery would disappear and reappear; old books were thrown about mysteriously; bells that had been disconnected rang suddenly in disused bedrooms.

### Blow Under the Eye

Later, too, "throwing" began. As she was going to bed one night the rector's wife received a terrific blow under the eye. On the next night objects were flung about the bedroom; they included a cotton reel and the head of a hammer with the broken handle in it. Articles were left deliberately in the rector's way. The position became intolerable; the rector and his wife, in an attempt at exorcism, sprinkled the house with holy water and said prayers; but, in the midst of this, "a stone nearly the size of my fist" (wrote the rector) struck Mrs. Robinson on the shoulder.

Then Mr. and Mrs. Robinson noticed that "Marianne" (the name of the rector's wife) appeared continually on small pieces of paper in a shaky, childish hand. Afterwards it was seen on the walls, with such messages as "Marianne please help get," "Marianne get help," and "Get light mass and prayers here."

### Mysterious Fire

Once more the form of the dead rector appeared. Fire broke out mysteriously in the skirting-board and floor on one side of a disused bedroom. The crowning manifestation came when Mrs. Robinson, lying ill in bed, was tossed upon the floor with the mattress on top of her; this occurred three times in one morning.

Other unaccountable things happened: pepper was thrown in the eyes of the rector and his wife; one night Mr. Robinson awoke to receive a hard crack on the head from his own hair-brush; on another occasion water from the ewer was poured slowly over the sleepers. Other people, besides the rector and his wife, witnessed some of the occurrences.

Mr. Price has now a vast dossier. His case is documented fully, his statements are marshalled, and he has evidence from many independent sources. He believes that his book will be the complete record of the most inexplicable case in the history of British psychical investigation.

# Tibetan Border Brigands

## Several Caravans Beset And 50 Mule Loads of Plunder Seized

From Our Own Correspondence

Yen Chin, Tibet, July 26.

While inner Tibet remains comparatively quiet month after month, making allowance for a certain amount of robbing on a small scale by small numbers of Tibetan brigands from either side of the border; such is not the case along the south-eastern border of Tibet upon the Chinese side where dwell most of the worst robber tribes. Never has this been more apparent perhaps than during the present year.

Last winter, after two caravan robberies affecting the people of this immediate area, Tibetan and local troops were sent several days march to the southeast to arbitrate if possible, and failing that to fight. The Ah Tong robbers having other cares decided to arbitrate, and our warriors soon returned home. No sooner was that matter ended than the Ah Tong Tibetans stirred up trouble at Atuntze, culminating in the slaying of the Ah Tong *tui chang* and about forty of his men. After that it took a full month to secure even the semblance of peace. And in the interim some of the remaining Ah Tong have become worse robbers than before.

Encouraged and assisted by robber friends from across the Yangtze River they have been sallying forth occasionally to kill and plunder. Just recently they pursued a few Chinese soldiers who were out on the trail of a deserter from the Atuntze midget army and slew one of their number. They next caught and quartered a member of the Atuntze civilian militia, fleeing beyond the reach of the soldiers sent out in pursuit.

### Attacked Yunnan Caravan

As their latest accomplishment, they attacked a large caravan from Yunnan which was passing through border country on its way into upper Tibet. Heading this caravan was a young lama priest who had set forth with the idea of further "perfecting" himself in the mysteries of lamaism. He and three others were slain and two of his comrades were wounded. Fifty caravan mules and their loads fell into the hands of the robbers who will not feel it necessary to go a-trading down in the summer heat of Yunnan when such rich plunder is so easily obtainable in their own unruled territory.

Such lawlessness and crime is taken for granted by their own lama priests and petty rulers who seemingly would not have it otherwise, knowing that they too can share in the plunder thus obtained.

Such deplorable conditions have long existed in Tibetan border country among a backward heathen people unfitted for self-rule. Small wonder then that the better folk among them often long for the return of Chinese rule, which with its own imperfection they claim to have been much better than what they now have.

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# Test Examiner in Back Seat of Car

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An objection to a driving test on the ground that the examiner sat in the back seat of the car was made by Mr. Albert Lovesay, of Station-road, Catford, S.E., at Greenwich Police court on August 16, states the "Daily Telegraph and Morning Post."

The summons, which alleged that the test was not conducted in accordance with the regulations, was against Mr. E. Croley.

Mr. Lovesay told the magistrate, Mr. Griffith Jones, that he went through a driving test on Aug. 8, and he considered that Mr. Croley, who sat in the rear seat, should have been as near to the driver as possible. Until he had passed that test, he said, he was a learner-driver, and the regulations laid down that he must have a competent driver beside him. If the examiner, as the competent driver, was in the back seat he was not in a position to take control of the car in case of emergency. Mr. Lovesay asked that he might be allowed to take another test forthwith.

### Ministry's "Serious View"

Mr. George Bankes, counsel instructed by the Treasury Solicitor, said the practice was for the examiner to sit at the back for the first part of the test and in the front for the latter part.

The Ministry of Transport took a serious view of this matter, for if everyone thought the examination should be conducted in a different manner the position would be impossible.

Mr. Croley, in evidence, said Mr. Lovesay failed to satisfy him in the way he negotiated an obstruction on crossing a main road, on taking corners, and on the Highway Code.

The magistrate said he considered the test was carried out in accordance with the regulations, and he dismissed the summons but made no order as to costs.

### Motoring Opinions

An official of the Automobile Association stated in an interview that it was preferable for the examiner to sit in the front seat. It was the best position from which to examine the candidate's ability to drive. After all, that was the primary object of the test.

Another motoring official said: "I have never heard of an examiner sitting in the back seat. He would be handicapped in seeing how the 'L' driver handled the controls."

An official of the Ministry of Transport said: There is no regulation which says that the examiner must sit beside the candidate, though the examiner may do so. The whole point is whether a man is competent to drive alone. One part of the test is the giving of hand signals, and obviously the examiner cannot see these from beside the driver.


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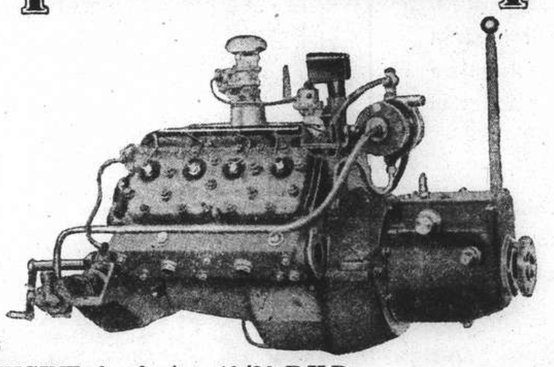

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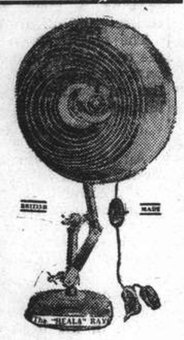


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## HERR HITLER'S SPEECH

Herr Hitler has made no real contribution to the solution of the Czechoslovakian-Sudeten crisis in the speech which he made at the closing of the Nuremberg conference on Monday, and the situation may generally be described as unchanged. It is true that he has reaffirmed his support of the claims of the Sudeten Germans, and has indicated that if necessary he would go to their aid, but that has been known ever since the crisis first came to a head, and it is possible that, as a result of his remarks, Herr Henlein and his party will now seek to press for a plebiscite amongst the Sudeten Germans. That the Czechoslovakian government is pledged to resist, and the effect of this latest pronouncement of Der Fuehrer, violent in terms though it is, may be taken as merely postponing decisions which he may ultimately have to make. Official opinion in Washington to the effect that "the bark is alarming, but the bite will at least be postponed," is probably the most accurate summing up of the position at the moment. Undoubtedly Herr Hitler has indicated how far he stands committed in the matter, and the real danger now is that the commitment is now so definite, that he will be completely unable to retreat from the stand which he has adopted without that loss of domestic prestige which is so necessary for the maintenance of the position which he holds in the esteem of the people he governs. The seriousness of the situation is that the Dictator has publicly burned his boats, and that is a factor which will have to be taken into account at all times when endeavouring to estimate the real meaning of future developments. That the speech makes no constructive contribution to the settlement of the crisis is only too apparent, and, while the continued mobilization of a million and a half German troops remains a patent fact, it is apparent that German pressure upon the Czechoslovakian Government is just as real as the Anglo-French pressure upon Germany of which Herr Hitler complains.

If Der Fuehrer were to leave the two opposing parties to work out their own salvation, there is a chance that some satisfactory and permanent settlement might be reached. The concessions which Prague has announced should go a very long way towards that most desirable end, but the larger view of the whole affair shows that the settlement of the domestic difference in Czechoslovakia is but a small matter in German eyes as compared with the *anschluss*. Hence the suggestion that a plebiscite should be held in the Sudeten areas is regarded with the gravest suspicion as paving the way for the *anschluss* which obviously has been in Herr Hitler's mind ever since he attained power. That, the Czechoslovakian Prime Minister has definitely stated, will be resisted, and it appears that the general feeling of the Czechs is that they would fight rather than agree to any such solution of the present impasse. The world at large will not be greatly impressed by Herr Hitler's moving reference to the persecution which it is alleged has been inflicted upon the Sudetens. That they have grievances, and very real ones at that, will not for one moment be denied: that they should be remedied with the utmost dispatch must be immediately conceded, but in foreign eyes these matters are but the excuse for proceeding with a policy which must be viewed with the deepest possible concern. Opinion abroad will not be unduly impressed by Herr Hitler's impassioned outburst over the alleged persecution of the Sudetens, for judging from all that has happened in Germany and Austria, the contention appears to be that discrimination against the German race is most highly to be condemned, while nothing can be more praiseworthy than the outrageous persecution of certain other minorities. Foreign opinion refuses to believe that the sauce for the goose is an inappropriate accompaniment for the gander, and the illogicality of the contention in no way serves to improve matters.

Yet it must be confessed that Herr Hitler could not have said anything other than he did on Monday afternoon. His oracular silence during the past week induced the thought that even then he might have maintained reticence on the matter, but now that he has spoken he has said little that was not already fully realized. He has most certainly said nothing calculated to improve matters, but there is comfort in the thought that there is little or nothing in his pronouncement likely immediately to tend towards deterioration. That the speech will stiffen the Sudeten attitude is inevitable, but as Herr Henlein has always been fully apprised of the German policy in the matter his position is no stronger now than it was at the end of last week. Nevertheless the situation is a grave one. The breaking down of Sudeten discipline, as evidenced in the recent increase of incidents precipitated by some of Herr Henlein's followers,—whether directly inspired or not, really does not matter,—increases the danger that some such occurrence may bring about a collapse of the present unstable situation, and bring about that resort to arms the likelihood of which cannot in any way be discounted. It is possible to accept the statement that Herr Hitler does not desire war entirely at its face value. No sane man anywhere in the world wants to see the outbreak of a conflagration the result of which no matter to which side victory ultimately goes, must be general disaster. It was with the desire that everything possible should be done to avert such a catastrophe, that unusual pressure has been brought to bear upon Prague by Great Britain and France. There is something in the Soviet contention that Czechoslovakia is being required to pay a very high price for the peace of Europe, and it is clear that the limits of concession have been reached. The latest Czech proposals did form a basis for negotiation. That has been admitted by the Sudeten Party itself, and the soundest statesmanship would have been to permit these two opponents to work out their own destiny uninfluenced by more outside pressure. It is believed they could, even now, were they let alone, but that would not suit Herr Hitler's book. The major aspects of his policy require the bending of Czechoslovakia entirely to his will and the meek acquiescence of Great Britain and France, which it must be quite obvious to him by now cannot be obtained.

## Dirty Shanghai

Shanghai never was a city of spotless perfection but a common observation by people who knew it in other days is that the place never looked so dirty as it does today. The influx of tens of thousands of Chinese refugees whose habitations are makeshift at the best, and the consequent disorganization in transport, storage, traffic and social conditions has altered the more ordered routine of other days and added to general untidiness which breeds dirt. The Bund is an outstanding example. Necessity has compelled the conversion of what once was a comparatively handsome river front, with one or two relieving patches of green lawn, into a series of cargo wharves where cattle, vegetables, iron, steel, cotton, silk and goods of all kinds are unloaded, and the hasty and temporary accommodation provided for this purpose has added to the general disarray initiated by cargo working. Concentration of hundreds of Chinese wharf coolies, who use roads and pavements for more utilitarian purposes than the average foreigner, does not improve matters, and makes a heavy rainfall not a nuisance but an undisguised sanitary blessing. Another condition unusually noticeable in recent months is the smoke which frequently hangs over the Whangpoo. Through the use of cheap coal, or perhaps through poor combustion combined with some meteorological circumstance, the dozens of small steamers using the central portion of the Whangpoo create a smoke screen of foul intensity, and it lingers long and covers a wide area like a black haze, scattering its soot and grime in offices whose once-proud advantage was a view of the broad sweep of the Whangpoo from the French Concession to Yangtszepoo. There is probably nothing harmful in it from a health point of view because many industrial cities in England where the pure rays of God's sun scarcely ever penetrate the gloom the death rate is lower than in some of the semi-rural towns. And, of course, practical considerations nowadays exclude any mention of the aesthetic in a city which never troubled much on this score, but as external conditions exercise a profound effect on human mentality much of the communal depression which Shanghai is suffering at present may probably be ascribed to the external change the city has experienced since the hostilities started.

## Polo Umpires

Shanghai polo umpires, who sometimes have harsh things said about the manner in which they perform their functions, should take heart from the remarks on the subject by the polo correspondent of "The Times." The much blamed race gets hard knocks all over the world, and the tribute contained in the extract below, should help to assuage hurt feelings if any, though the chances are that Shanghai polo umpires, as elsewere, are a tough lot and well able to take care of themselves.

There has been much talk of the umpiring this season, and much ill-natured and ill-considered criticism. There has been much talk of 'too much whistle,' but if players did not foul they would not get penalized, and the umpires have the most exacting and most difficult job to do. Very rightly they insisted on the proper difficult observance of the rules, which makes for better polo and a desirable absence of accidents, and from what I have seen this year these duties were carried out admirably. To err is human, and no man could hope to get through a season without a single mistake, but those who played in London owe much of their pleasure to these gentlemen. Strict umpiring means hard work, and the umpires, on and off the field, give themselves much labour with little reward. Not so very long ago it was customary to thank the umpires at the end of the game. This piece of good manners nowadays seems to be honoured in the breach rather than the observance. To those who criticize I would urge that they should make a constant practice of volunteering to officiate, in order either to show the way or else to experience at first hand the difficulties of this duty.

## *NATURE NOTES*

Believe it or not, I have not been able to discover anything like a minority problem amongst the creatures that inhabit my garden, or anywhere else in Nature for that matter, except, of course, amongst human beings. Amongst animals the various species are either frankly predatory and prey upon certain other species, or they are remarkably tolerant of other species. It is astonishing how well the various forms of non-rapacious birds get along together, not to mention the innumerable species of insects and the slugs, snails and other lower forms of animal life. As a rule, like does not attack like, the outstanding exception being the ants, which, as I pointed out in one of my earlier notes, are definitely aggressive, living in colonies ruled by a system comparable with that governing what we know as totalitarian states amongst men. They make war, one colony against another, and terrible battles occur, in which whole colonies may be wiped out. Incidentally, it is only because they have evolved their system of complete subservience of the individual to the state and the resultant unity of action of the whole colony that they are able thus to wage war on other colonies. But it argues a very low grade of intelligence on the part of the individual ants. They are nothing but soulless slaves to a system, and are incapable of coping with any contingency out of the ordinary that may overtake them. Changed conditions in their surroundings mean their annihilation, individually or collectively. The non-predatory species of all branches of animal life, on the other hand, by mutual consent leave each other alone, acting on the principle of "live and let live." This is especially noticeable among the birds which come to feed at the table on my lawn every morning. The sparrows are greatly in the majority, but they do not for that reason attempt to lord it over the other birds or to exclude them from the feast laid out for them each morning. Every day I see dozens of these alert and active birds feeding peaceably side by side with bulbuls and doves, with sometimes a blackbird or two, a pair of tomtits, a little flock of munias or some azure-winged magpies coming for their share of the food. True, blackbirds are inclined to be a bit quarrelsome amongst themselves, and have the reputation of each driving others of its own kind away from its particular beat, but even this rule does not always hold good, for I have often seen more than one male blackbird at a time on my lawn looking for worms, while the other day I counted no fewer than eighteen round the bird-bath and on the lawn of the Country Hospital garden without any fighting going on. Of course, squabbles sometimes take place amongst the birds of the same species, but these are obviously only family rows and are not serious. Sometimes a dove will peck at or chase another dove or a sparrow. I have even seen a sparrow peck at a dove, but, on the whole, the atmosphere round the bird-table is one of peace and harmony. In other branches of animal life it is the same. It matters not how many caterpillars there are on a bush or rose vine, they never seem to mind or interfere with each other. However many cicadas there may be on a favourite tree there always seems to be room for one more. The toads which come out at night to feed on my lawn are the most peaceable creatures imaginable, while slugs will congregate thickly on some feeding ground with never a sign of antagonism amongst them. And so I could go on giving instance after instance of tolerance amongst animals of the same and different species, but the foregoing are sufficient to give point to my argument. It is left for man and the ant to indulge in aggression on a wholesale scale, and for man alone to persecute minorities in the communities and social or political groups into which he gathers.—A. DE C. S.

## *IN PARENTHESIS*

**Altered Conditions**

BUS Inspector: "Here, conductor, you haven't collected any fares upstairs!"

Conductor: "Dash it! I am always forgetting about upstairs since I started living in a bungalow."

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**His Ancestors**

DURING a history lesson the teacher pointed out to the class that a surname often indicated the trade of the ancestors of those who bore the name. He gave the obviously simple example of Smith, Taylor, Baker, and others. Then he questioned one of the boys.

"What were your ancestors, Webb?"

"Spiders, sir."

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**Mid-Year**

THE examinations were over and the examiners were busy checking up the various answers. One of them found a paper which, instead of being covered with historical names and dates, had a crude sketch of a cemetery with a large tombstone on which was written: "Sacred to the memory that always deserts me on an occasion like this."

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**Wealthy**

A VISITOR asked George how long could he trace back his ancestors.

George: How long can you trace back your own?

Visitor: Well my ancestors were in Noah's Ark when the world was flooded.

George: My ancestors had a boat of their own that time!

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**Knocked Out**

MIKE and Pat decided to go to a boxing match. One of the fighters was standing up so pluckily to a rare pasting that the crowd roared its approval. Mike turned to Pat and exclaimed:

"Well, at any rate, the crowd is with him."

Pat nodded grimly. "Aye," he said, "and I bet the poor divil wishes he was with the crowd."

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**"Absent Minded"**

THE professor was in the habit of allowing his dog to sit on a chair beside him at meal times.

One evening he was out to dinner. The lady sitting next to him, wishing to attract his attention, gently touched his sleeve.

Absent-mindedly the professor picked up a bone from his plate and, without turning his head, held it out to her and said: "Oh, don't worry so. Take this on the mat and eat it."

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**Heard in Court—**

Defendant at Tottenham: The constable was such a nice fellow that he altered my views on policemen; in fact, I was glad I was summoned.

NOTTINGHAM Man (of motor patrol policeman): I don't want to say anything disrespectful of his bad driving.

Defendant at Tottenham: I deny striking you. Complainant: You struck me in my kitchen. Defendant: You're a liar. It was in the hall.

Man: When the little boy saw his father receive the blow he clapped his hands and shouted, "Hurrah, dad, now you will get £100 damages."

Husband: When I heard the rattle of crockery I dressed and came downstairs thinking that breakfast was ready, but all I found was broken cups and plates and a letter from my wife saying "Cheerio."

## *THE WEATHER*

Temperature near Holy Trinity Cathedral Shanghai 24 hours ending 7 p.m.:—

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Yesterday | Min. 71.5 | Max. 83.0 |
| Same date, 1937 | Min. 71.5 | Max. 85.5 |

Rainfall nil.

Temperature at Siccawei:—

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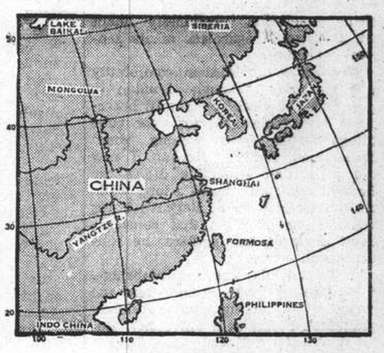
| Yesterday | Min. 67.8 | Max. 80.1 |
| Same date, 1937 | Min. 65.5 | Max. 88.5 |




**Siccawei's Report**

State on the morning of the 12th:—Anticyclone over China, spreading over Korea, Japan, the Yellow Sea and the Eastern Sea. North-westerly winds in the north; variable, the north-eastern quadrant prevailing, over our regions and in the south. Fine weather, cloudy at places, in China.

State on the morning of the 13th:—Rather high anticyclone over China and Japan.

Probabilities, 4.30 p.m. yesterday:—Fine weather over northern China. Overcast threatening drizzle over our regions and southern China. Cloudy over the Eastern Sea. North-westerly to north-easterly winds along the China Coast.—Siccawei Observatory.

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# Situation Unchanged By Hitler Speech

## London Fails to Discern Any Constructive Contribution to Czech Settlement; France Believes British Warning Proved Effective

London, Sept. 13.

HERR Hitler's speech has done nothing to alter the situation for the better. This is the immediate feeling in responsible quarters in London, states Reuters Diplomatic Correspondent. It is felt that in no possible sense can the speech he termed constructive, and it might even be said to be the reverse, since there was apparently no effort to allow the two parties in Czechoslovakia to get together alone, and thresh out a settlement.

Having before them last night summaries of the speech, to which they gave preliminary consideration, British ministers were of the opinion that the present moment is far too early to formulate any definite conclusions. The speech, in all its aspects and implications, will be the subject of further examination today, it was learned.

The Brtiish Cabinet will hold another meeting tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock to consider the international situation.

At yesterday's cabinet meeting, it was decided that Mr. Neville Chamberlain, the Prime Minister; Lord Halifax, the Foreign Secretary; Sir John Simon, Chancellor of the Exchequer, who have been keeping in daily and hourly touch with the situation, should meet again at No. 10 Downing Street, at 9.30 p.m.

There, the British ministers were to continue their task, and by this time, it was expected, a good part of Herr Hitler's speech would be available for their consideration. The meeting of ministers terminated at 6.10 p.m., after eighty minutes of discussion.

### Effect on Parleys Latent

It is felt in semi-official circles that if the Czech Government and the Sudeten Germans were allowed to get on alone with the task, there might be a fair prospect of a solution.

It is pointed out that the fact that no startling fresh demands have been made does not mean that Herr Hitler's declaration does not shape the situation.

Not only in official speeches, but by the tone of the press and by Germany's continued mobilization, it is felt, there seems to be a determination not to allow the Sudetens and the Czechs to get on with the negotiations undisturbed.

References to "self-determination," these circles declare, appear to be a hint that one of the parties in the dispute will make as wide demands as they wish.

It is further pointed out that, while Herr Hitler attacks Czechoslovakia for references to German mobilization, the speech makes very little reference to the present military manœuvres in Germany, in which a million and a half men are under arms, and which have yet to continue for some weeks.

Until they are over, and while the temper of Germany remains what it is today, it is felt by these circles that no realist can believe that the danger is past, or that the threat to European peace does not remain.—Reuter.

### British Warning Had Effect

Paris, Sept. 13.

Herr Hitler's speech is semi-officially considered to be threatening, but to add nothing new to the situation.

Military and economic measures to be taken in the event of war were considered by the Council of Ministers this morning.

Important private businesses have received a questionnaire asking what contracts they are able to fulfil in the event of war. The questionnaire also deals with the mobilization of staffs. All wool firms have been informed that the exportation of certain primary products is forbidden.

It is regarded here as significant that the Fuehrer did not make any specific reference to holding a plebiscite. It is felt that the danger of war has been postponed, but it is realized that the tension will continue.

The general opinion is that the speech was violent in form, but vague regarding Herr Hitler's intentions. A strong impression prevails that Herr Hitler wished to say more, but that the semi-official British warning, delivered last night, made a big impression upon him.

### French Cabinet Meeting

A meeting of the French Cabinet held last night lasted for 2½ hours. As the ministers were dispersing, General Maurice Gamelin, Chief of the General Staff, arrived. He held a conversation with M. Edouard Daladier, Premier and Minister of War and of National Defence.

An official statement issued afterwards declared that the Cabinet paid tribute to the nation's patriotism and composure.

It had also received from North Africa and the Colonial Empire a "most moving testimony of fidelity to France."

"This dignified and reasonable attitude of the country is of particular value for the defence of peace," the statement declared.

The Cabinet also discussed measures to be taken, and which are being taken, in preparation for any emergency. No new measures have been decided upon, as France has already reached Stage B of the famous "ABC" system of preparation for possible hostilities.

The Cabinet considered what the position would be if Herr Hitler did not clarify the situation, and tension continued. It also considered measures which might be necessary if the frontier defences needed reinforcing, and the civil population had to be defended.—Reuter.

### Approval in Rome

Rome, Sept. 13.

The tone of Herr Hitler's speech is considered by official quarters here to be "outstandingly moderate," in view of the "great provocation that Germany has suffered" in the general opinion of Rome circles.

The "warlike attitude" of Great Britain and France is held as complete justification for Germany's new defence measures.

The "Giornale d'Italia" declares that Herr Hitler's insistence upon a speedy settlement of the problem means that he will demand a plebiscite. Other circles, however,

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# Fuehrer Attacks Democracies

## Czech Prebiscite Hint For Sudeten Solution; German Might Vaunted

Nuremberg, Sept. 13.

An attack on the democracies, a reiteration of the determination of the Reich to uphold her interests at all costs, and an affirmation of Germany's armed might featured Herr Adolf Hitler's anxiously awaited speech, given here yesterday afternoon.

Herr Hitler began his speech with a rather dull review of the Nazi Party's history since 1923.

Alluding to the events leading up to the Austrian Anschluss, Herr Hitler said that in the world today, those events were being repeated and the Reich's enemies of today were the same as then.

"Today, we are faced with a United front, from the Bolshevists down to the Democrats," the Fuehrer declared, "international world democrats are working hand in hand with Moscow. This insincerity is simply disgusting.

### Natives and Colonies

"There are only two nations whose Governments are backed by 99 per cent. of the peoples.

"The democracies elsewhere are fooling the public by financial and other means.

"At the same time, they do not hesitate to bring the natives to reason with bombs.

"They stand for equality, but refuse to 75,000,000 people the most primitive rights.

"We could not get our colonies back because the natives could not be asked. Without asking about the opinion of the natives, they subjugated continents.

"They expect Germany, where 140 persons are squeezed into a square kilometre, to keep her Jews, whereas the Powers, with only a few per square kilometres, do not want them. They offer no help, but speak of morals.

"I would rather be insulted by someone who cannot rob me than be robbed by someone who praises me.

"We are being insulted, but we are in a position to prevent ourselves from being pilfered.

### "They Will Find My Help"

"If a member of the majority of the oppressed peoples protests, he can be knocked down, and even killed.

"Economically, they are being systematically ruined, and they want to exterminate them.

"If these creatures cannot help themselves, they will find my help, (cheers).

"I said previously that Germany will not tolerate the subjugation of these people, and I request foreign statesmen to be convinced that this is no mere phrase.

"We are not revengeful. For us, the renouncing of our Cathedral at Strassbourg meant much. If we had made such a renunciation, we did it for the sake of peace, and to bury our quarrel with France.

"We accepted the greatest sacrifice in order to pave the way for international conciliation.

"It would not serve the cause of European peace if we were indifferent to the fate of the Germans in Czechoslovakia.

"We should understand if France or Britain were defending their interests in any part of the world, but we have our German interests, which we will defend at all costs.

### Czech Solution Imperative

"When the regional elections were about to take place in Czechoslovakia, the Czechs were uncertain of their success, and Dr. Benes invented the lie that Germany had mobilized, whereas not a single soldier more had been drafted towards the frontier.

"This was interpreted to mean that Germany had receded before Anglo-French threats. A great Power cannot swallow such an impudent incident again.

"As a Nazi, I am used to hitting back.

"On May 28, I adopted grave measures—firstly, the strength of the Army was increased, and the Air Force was greatly accelerated; secondly, there was an immediate extension of the fortifications in the west.

"After completion, they wil comprise 17,000 defence works of reforced concrete, which will aggregate nearly ten miles. Behind this line of iron and concreate will stand the German nation in arms.

### Plebiscite Hinted

"Dr. Benes indulges in tactics, and speaks of, and organizes, negotiations. This cannot continue. The Germans demand the right to self-determination.

"I demand that the oppression of the 3,500,000 in Czechoslovakia cease, or the free right to self-determination will take its place.

"It is up to Prague to effect an agreement with the Sudetens. It is our resolve to see that the wrong does not remain a wrong. No new Palestine shall arise. The poor Arabs in Palestine may be defenceless and deserted, but the Germans in Czechoslovakia are neither.

The "Blood Flag" or Swastika Banner, which was carried at the head of the Nazis during the uprising in Munich in 1923, was placed behind Herr Hitler's platform before the speech.

The speech began at 7.15 p.m.—Reuter.

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# Martial Law Declared in Sudeten Areas

## Prague Acts as Clashes Follow Hitler Speech

Prague, Sept. 12.

The situation in Czechoslovakia is rapidly deteriorating as the result of a number of new serious incidents in various parts of the country, all of which occurred shortly after Herr Hitler's speech at Nuremberg last night.

In an effort to cope with the growingly tense situation, the Czech Government has decided to proclaim a state of emergency in eight districts of the country, including, East Neudeck, Prognebelly, Ellbogen, Kagen and Eger.

An official communique states that the Government has decided to enforce martial law in all districts where disorders occurred last night.

Herr Konrad Henlein, the Leader of the Sudetens, and other Sudetens have arrived at Eger for a conference, postponing further talks with Dr. Milan Hodza, the Premier, until tomorrow.

It is reported that the death roll in incidents between Czechs and Sudetens last night is six.

Two Sudeten Germans were killed near Aussig when a German is alleged to have fired a shot across a stream and the Czechs on the other side returned the fire.

Near Carlsbad, a Czech postmaster was fatally injured and a Czech postal official was severely wounded when Sudetens are reported to have tried to seize a post office.

A Sudeten German was shot at Grasslitz, hit in the abdomen by a Communist who had himself been injured.

In one or two towns elsewhere Sudeten Germans are stated to have attempted openly to seize police headquarters and post offices.

The Czech authorities today announce the seizure of a circular to "SS" men, calling on them to do their utmost to provoke attacks on state officers.

All Sudetens, the circular is alleged to add, have arms, and it should be possible to seize buildings and cut communication with the central authorities.

If isolated actions fail to bring the desired result, namely, a decision to hold a plebiscite, the document is reported to assert, there would be collective demonstrations and attacks on a wide scale throughout the Sudeten regions.

### British Observer Acts

Reuter learns that Major Sutton Pratt, observer attached to the Briish Legation in Prague, is proceeding immediately to Eger and Carlsbad to inquire into reports of disturbances.

There is no doubt in well-informed circles here that the Sudeten Germans will act on Herr Hitler's hint to demand a plebiscite, and that Czechoslovakia is likely to be confronted with this question soon.

The general feeling is that October 15, which has been fixed by the Sudetens as the date for their party congress at Aussig, will be the next critical day. If no settlement is reached by then, the question of a plebiscite is expected to be raised.

### Door Not Closed to Parleys

Although the situation left by Herr Hitler's speech last night is considered very serious, it is felt that there is still a margin for a little hope, and that the door is not closed to the possibilities of negotiation.

Herr Hitler, semi-official circles here point out, implied in his speech that he was leaving the matter in the hands of the Sudeten leaders. His speech was taken by these circles to mean that he practically invited the Sudetens to demand a plebiscite, to which he said they were fully entitled.

Official Sudeten circles suggest it may be practically impossible to restrain the rank and file in the provinces from demanding a plebiscite, and possibly increasing the number of demonstrations. These circles consider that the rank and file may even try to short-circuit a union with Germany.

The first reaction of the Czech man-in-the-street to the speech is "No plebiscite. We would rather fight, and it would be better to fight now than a year hence, when conditions may not be so favourable."

Dr. Edouard Benes, the Czech President, was to preside at an extraordinary meeting of the Cabinet, summoned for last night, to meet after Herr Hitler had spoken.—Reuter.

### Prague Vetoes Plebiscite

London, Sept. 13.

It is understood that M. Jan Masaryk, Czech Minister in London,

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**Admiral Horthy Makes Visit to Germany**

*Admiral Horthy, the Regent of Hungary, and Chancellor Hitler inspecting the naval guard of honour at Kiel during the Admiral's recent visit to Germany. Mme. Horthy performing the naming ceremony of one of Germany's new cruisers.*

# London Press Sees Hitler Speech Leaving World in Doubt

## Fuehrer's "Absurd Perversion of Truth" Deplored By "The Times"; Future Dangers Discerned

London, Sept. 13.

THAT Herr Hitler's speech has left the world in doubt regarding his intentions is the general view expressed by the morning papers today. Most journals anticipate a period of continued anxiety regarding peace in Europe.

"The Times," in an editorial, states that the object of the speech was clearly to put the onus of a settlement upon the Czech Government. Herr Hitler, the editorial goes on to say, spoke of "7,000,000 Czechs torturing 3,500,000 Germans"—an absurd perversion of the truth, which could hardly have deceived his own docile and devoted audience. He even explained that there was a desire in Czechoslovakia to "exterminate" the Germans there, "The Times" adds.

"It is lamentable indeed," the journal continues, "that the head of a great country like Germany should talk such nonsense.

"Except for a single sentence about 'self-determination,' the speech of the Chief of the German State was just another of those which are delivered almost nightly at Nazi gatherings, and it really leaves the vital problem of central Europe very much where it was before he spoke," "The Times" declares.

### Prague Parleys Menaced

The "Daily Telegraph" states that the Sudeten Germans are being promised by the Czech Government greater rights than have been accorded to any minority in Europe.

These, the paper declares, are in negotiation, and it is plainly Herr Hitler's intention that the conferences shall go forward under the menacing shadow of German might, ready to intervene should there be opposition by the Czechs to the most extreme demand that he was prepared to support.

A respite, the journal goes on to say, is afforded from the immediate danger of war, and Europe is, apparently, in the Fuehrer's conception, to be kept in a state of anxious expectancy during the whole time the negotiations may occupy, and beyond.

The "Daily Herald" states that, while the whole world will welcome a respite which the absence of any immediately further demand gives, it would be foolish to ignore the future dangers inherent in the Fuehrer's words.

### "Yorkshire Post" Strictures

The "Yorkshire Post," which represents influential political interests, is very outright in its criticism of Herr Hitler's speech, which it describes as a deliberate exaggeration and exacerbation of tension from beginning to end.

The journal also characterizes it as "aggressive and provocative."

It declares that it was a distortion, if not an actual falsification, of notorious facts.

In the latter connection the newspaper examines the nationality of Czechoslovakians and shows that Czechoslovaks largely exceed the combined minorities.

It declcares, in effect, that Herr Hitler's argument is that "might is right," and expresses the opinion that he has only been holding his hand in consequence of Anglo-French solidarity.

### Hopeful View Expressed

According to the "Daily Mail," it is generally recognized that until the grievances of the minorities are removed, there will always be a threat to peace.

The fact that negotiations are to be resumed today, the journal declares, is one very promising fact in shifting the anxious situation.

"We must expect a further period of unrest and uncertainty, a prolonged era of negotiations, and a continuation of anxiety as to the peace of Europe," states the "Daily Express."

The paper re-iterates, however, the belief that Great Britain will not be involved in war in Europe this year or next year.

The opinion voiced by the "News Chronicle" is that the speech must leave the democratic powers in no position of false optimism. Far from relieving the crisis, the paper states, it must deepen the feeling of anxiety.

Britain, France and Russia, it is stated, must take all precautions, and act in the closest concert if peace is to be preserved.—Reuter.

### French Press Views

Paris, Sept. 13.

Herr Hitler's speech at Nuremberg last night brings no appeasement in the international situation, although it does not close the door to further negotiations between the Czech Government and the German Sudetens, it was generally considered in the press here this morning.

"Herr Hitler has not closed the door to negotiations but will he allow them to develop normally and won't he raise new and serious incidents in the Sudeten districts to allow Germany to carry out her veiled threat?" asked the Centrist organ, "Le Petit Parisien."

The Centrist, "L'Excelsior," says the most important fact is that Herr Hitler did not include in his address any irreparable words. "It does not seem that Herr Hitler contemplates any brutal action," the journal added optimistically. "He asserts that a great nation cannot recede twice. No one has ever wished to humiliate Germany and to reflect does not mean to recede when reflection is dictated by the wish to avoid the worst catastrophe."

### Peace With Honour Urged

The Rightist, "Le Figaro" stressed that everything compatible with honour must be attempted to find a peaceful settlement to the problem which hangs upon the whole world and to avoid a catastrophe. "For Heaven's sake, let us cease to mistake the idea of peace with the idea of weakness," the paper exclaimed. "We wish peace with all our strength, but we are afraid of nothing."

Writing in his paper," Le Populaire," M. Leon Blum, leader of the Socialist Party, emphasized that "a military invasion of Czechoslovakia seems to have been averted. Herr Hitler will now try a system of infiltration and internal decomposition of Czechoslovakia. Danger changes every day. Tomorrow, the danger will be that the democracies will not watch with the same attention the fight which will go on in Prague and will not react with the same power. Tomorrow as yesterday, the independence and sovereignty of the Czech state must be preserved."

The Monarchist organ, "L'Action Française" stressed that the Fuehrer had granted Czechoslovakia a respite, "but how long will it last?"

The Rightist organ "L'Ordre," more pessimistic, says "the slightest weakness on the part of the democracies would result in a catastrophe. The only way to avoid the worst lies in a Franco-British solidarity stronger than ever."—Havas.

### German Press Comment

Berlin, Sept. 13.

The entire press here this morning hailed the "unequivocal but peace-

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# Jews Fleeing from Sudeten Areas in Czechoslovakia

## Fugitives Mainly Comprise German and Austrian Refugees; Quickening of Pace Noted in Prague

Prague, Sept. 12.

Hundreds of Jews began evacuating Sudeten areas of Czechoslovakia this afternoon a few hours before Herr Adolf Hitler's fateful Nuremberg speech.

Trains bearing hundreds of Jews from Karlsbad and other Sudeten cities arrived here throughout the day. Hotels were filled to capacity by the sudden influx of frightened Jews who feared Herr Hitler's speech might lead to a violent anti-Semitic outbreak in the Sudeten areas.

Large numbers of Czechs also left areas vitually under the control of Herr Konrad Henlein, leader of the Sudeten Germans. Violence earlier had broken out in scattered points in Sudeten territory and Czech police were driven from various Czech towns leaving Czechs at the mercy of the Sudetens.

Most travellers planned to return to their homes within a few days if developments permit, but the majority brought most of their valuables with them in the belief that they might never again return to their native homes.

Of an estimated 250,000 Jews in Czechoslovakia, at least 30,000 are those who already have left their homes in Germany or Austria because of frenzied Nazi outbreaks against the Jews. At least 5,000 of these have moved twice, first from Germany to Austria and later from Austria to Czechoslovakia when the Nazis invaded Austria.

### People of Prague Calm

The people of Prague went about their business almost as usual today while waiting to learn the fate of Czechoslovakia from Herr Hitler.

Compared with a week ago, however, there was a quickening of pace, the development of a nervous speed, noticeable on Prague streets. Anything referring to Herr Hitler, Nuremberg or the minority question attracted crowds. Newspaper bulletin boards were posted throughout the city and all editions were quickly sold. Newsboys made small fortunes as eager readers purchased thousands of extra copies of newspapers. Most readers appeared too nervous and failed to wait for their change.

In restaurants the people of Prague, who take their eating seriously, went American style today and read their newspapers at the table.

Loudspeakers were erected throughout Prague to direct the residents of the city what to do in case of violence or attack, but the only announcements to come over them were municipal advertisements.—United Press.

# "Mystery" Chinese Said To Be Bankers

Honolulu, Sept. 12.

Four "mystery passengers" speeding from China to the United States in the Pan American Clipper stepped from the giant airliner this afternoon and were whisked away by United States Army officials in a motor-boat the name of which was painted out. Despite the strictest secrecy cloaking their journey since they left Hongkong on Friday, the United Press learned today that they are Mr. K. P. Chen, prominent Chinese banker, and Mr. Hsi Tse-mou of the Central Bank of China accompanied by two secretaries.

Mr. Chen was reported to have received an invitation from the American Secretary of State, Mr. Henry Morgenthau, Jr., to visit the United States to discuss a loan to China. Mr. Chen was the primary figure behind the silver agreement between China and the United States.—Reuter.

# Parliament Not to Be Recalled

## Move Inopportune at Present, Opposition Leaders Informed

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, Sept. 13.

Mr. C. R. Attlee, Leader of the Labour Opposition, is understood to have been informed by the Prime Minister, Mr. Neville Chamberlain, at an interview today that the present was not an opportune time to recall Parliament.

Besides Mr. Attlee, Sir Archibald Sinclair, Leader of the Liberal Opposition, was also present at the interview, the purpose of which was to inform them of the international situation, in accordance with the custom on such occasions.

This afternoon Mr. Chamberlain, Lord Halifax, the Foreign Secretary; Sir John Simon, Chancellor of the Exchequer, and Sir Samuel Hoare, Home Secretary, will meet at No. 10 Downing Street.—Reuter

### France Reaffirms Stand

London, Sept. 12.

The Cabinet this morning examined a most important report from Sir Eric Phipps, the British Ambassador in Paris, leaving no doubts as to the French Government's determination to honour their obligations if necessary. The report also outlined the measures taken to this effect.

It is understood that the Cabinet approved of the policy being followed by the Prime Minister, Mr. Neville Chamberlain, and the Foreign Secretary, Lord Halifax, and decided to continue the efforts at conciliation on the basis of the latest Czech proposals to the Sudeten Germans.—Havas.

# British Legion Offers To Aid Nation

## Letter to Prime Minister Reflects Tense Situation

London, Sept. 13.

Public concern at the international situation which remains in suspense until the effect of Herr Hitler's speech is known, as well as the outcome of the negotiations in Prague, once they are resumed—has not diminished, nor its visible embodiment in the crowds which gather outside the Foreign Office and the Prime Minister's official residence.

In the event of a national emergency, the resources of the British Legion, great organization of ex-service men, would be placed at the disposal of the Government, according to an intimation conveyed in a letter to the Prime Minister from Major-General Sir Frederick Maurice, National President of the Legion, and Major Sir Francis Fetherston-Godley, National Chairman.

They state: "The present international crisis is causing every member of the Legion great auxiety. In these circumstances and in the event of a national emergency arising, which God forbid, the Legion would place the whole of its resources, energies and influence unreservedly at the disposal of the Government."

In his reply, Mr. Neville Chamberlain says: It is my earnest hope that such an emergency will not arise, but if it should I know that the country can rely on members of the British Legion to play their part as they played it in the critical years 1914 to 1918."—Wireless through Reuter.

# Heavy Chinese Casualties

## Japanese Continue to Advance on Both Banks Of Yangtze; Stubborn Resistance Put Up

SCORING further gains south of the Yangtze, Japanese detachments yesterday captured Haishangneng in Kiangsi after routing Chinese troops in bitter hand-to-hand fighting lasting six hours, a Domei dispatch from the front claimed last night. The Japanese troops forced their way into the town at 9.30 o'clock yesterday morning and by 12.30 o'clock had pushed on to occupy Peishan, west of Haishangneng, after breaking through three Chinese defence lines, the message stated.

In southern Shansi Japanese forces were advancing on Chengchow, strategic town at the junction of the Lunghai and Pinghan Railroads, a message from Yuncheng said. A concerted drive on the town was launched early yesterday morning.

Crack units moved up to assault Chengchow engaged Chinese forces near the Chungtiao Mountains on the north side of the Yellow River. These columns were co-operating with other detachments pushing toward Chengchow from the east.

In a furious ten-day battle in the northern foot-hills of the Tapieh range near the Anhwei-Honan provincial border, Chinese troops suffered at least 10,000 casualties, Japanese officers surveying the debris-littered area estimated yesterday.

The engagements, ranking in tensity with the most sanguinary encounters in the Shanghai campaign, brought death to 4,000 Chinese soldiers, whose rigid, blood-stained bodies were scattered about on the once-wooded hill slopes, Domei correspondents at the front reported.

The battle came to an end on Monday, when Chinese forces, once estimated to be 10 divisions strong, gave up a stubborn defence of elaborate positions on hills commanding the roads from Yehkiatsi, in western Anhwei near the provincial border, to Shangcheng, pivotal point in the Chinese defence triangle in southeastern Honan.

In small, isolated groups, they began a ragged retreat towards Shangcheng, as Japanese troops seized Fuchinshan, Hwayenshan and a hill that became to be known among the Japanese as 800-metre height.

Hemmed in from three directions, with their backs to the Tapieh mountains, the Chinese had no alternative but to retire westward in escaping extermination.

### Disorderly Retreat

Japanese aerial observers on Monday afternoon reported sighting only about 1,000 Chinese soldiers falling back towards Kuoliutan, 28 kilometres north-west of Shangcheng, indicating the disorderly character of the retreat.

Semi-circular Chinese defence lines were also discerned by Japanese fliers being feverishly constructed with Shangcheng as their centre. The outer edge of these positions was said to be at a point about four kilometres north-west of Changpaili, running towards Fachiatsi and Sushanshih.

Meantime, Japanese troops pushing westward from Kushih towards Kwangchow along the base of the inverted triangle forming the Chinese defence system in that area, were within 16 kilometres of their immediate objective as they closed in upon Huangkangszu at noon on Monday.

Another Japanese column, proceeding westward on the flooded Hwai River, at the same time prepared to strike at Kwangchow from the north.

Built astride the Han River, Kwangchow ordinarily is a thriving business town with a population of 49,000. Its strategic importance derives from the highways radiating from the town into the Honan plain, to Loshan and Sinyang in the west, to Sihsien in the north and Shangcheng and Kwangshan in the south.

### New Line Formed

Hankow, Sept. 13.

Following the capture by the Japanese of the three hills of Kungshan, Tsienshan and Hamatung, west of Juichang, the Chinese forces, on the night of September 10, formed a new line in the hills running from the Juichang-Matoucheng Highway southwards to the Juichang—Wuning Highway, according to Chinese reports.—Reuter.

# Japanese Land Near Pakhoi

## Seizure of Waichow Is. Attempted

Hongkong, Sept. 13.

Chinese reports from Hainan state that several hundred Japanese marines landed yesterday morning on Waichow Island, due south of Pakhoi.

The landing was effected from a transport which was escorted by two warships.

It is asserted that the war vessels first bombarded the villages on the island, damaging numerous buildings, including the Roman Catholic Church, and killing many villagers.—Reuter.

# Japanese Protest to Soviet Russia

## "Deliberate Act to Invite Dispute" Alleged

Tokyo, Sept. 13.

The Foreign Office today delivered a Note to the Soviet Embassy protesting against "illegal penetration" into Japanese territory by Soviet border guards near Handazawa, in Saghalien, on August 12, 22, 23 and 24.

The alleged violation of the border is described as "a deliberate act to invite a dispute and aggravate Russo-Japanese relations."—Reuter.

### Agreement Reached

Tokyo, Sept. 13.

Negotiations between Mr. Mamoru Shigemitsu, Japanese Ambassador, and M. Potemkin, Assistant Commissar for Foreign Affairs, regarding the organization of a Soviet-Manchoukuo border re-demarcation commission have reached a satisfactory conclusion, the Foreign Minister, Gen. Kazushige Ugaki, reported to the Cabinet today.

The commission will be composed of two Soviet delegates, one Japanese and one Manchoukuoan member. There will be no neutral commissioner. During the early stages of the negotiations the Soviet Government's insistence on the inclusion of a neutral member caused a hitch.—Domei.

## *Latest Exchange*

The closing Interbank selling rates yesterday were as follows:

**Sterling 8 29/32d. U.S.$ 17¼c.**

# Midnight Census For Hankow

## Undesirable Elements to Be Weeded Out; Foreign Employees Included

Hankow, Sept. 13.

With the tempo of the Yangtze hostilities increasing in intensity, the Wuhan garrison headquarters has decided to launch a thorough census of the population, embracing Hankow, Wuchang and Hanyang, and beginning tomorrow night.

The census has as its object the weeding out of undesirable elements among the populace.

It will include, in addition to residents of the areas mentioned, those on steamers and junks on the Yangtze and Han Rivers, passengers in trains, and also the staffs of the foreign embassies, consulates and residences.

The census of the foreign embassies, consulates and residences will take place on the morning of September 15.

The census, apart from those in consulates and embassies, will start promptly at midnight, and will be completed by 5 a.m.

During this period, martial law will be enforced, and all traffic will be suspended.

Street lights will be turned off at 11 p.m. for two seconds, as a preliminary signal, while the lights will be again turned off for two seconds at midnight, after which the census will start.

The street lights signal will be repeated at 5 a.m., by which time the census will have been concluded.

In the event of an air raid, the census will be postponed, and the people will be allowed to take refuge in the shelters.—Reuter.

# Chinese Positions Heavily Bombed

## Japanese Planes Attack Honan, Kiangsi Bases

Taking advantage of fair weather, Japanese naval air squadrons winged over Honan and Kiangsi provinces on Monday to continue relentless bombardments of Chinese positions in co-operation with operations of land troops and war vessels on the Yangtze, Japanese naval authorities here announced in a communiqué yesterday.

A large number of planes under the command of First Lieut. Keijiro Soyeda attacked Chengchow, an important junction of the Peiping-Hankow and Lunghai Railways in Honan province, demolishing about 50 freight cars in the station compounds and a big warehouse near by, the communiqué said.

Piles of munitions were set on fire and tracks near the station were cut.

Another squadron led by First Lieut. Goro Katsumi and Sub. Lieut. Takeshi Ogawa bombed Chinese positions south of Juichang and vanguard troops on the southern bank of the Yangtze close by, while another small unit attacked troop concentrations south-west of Shangcheng, 40 kilometres south of Kushih. Fires were started in several villages, the statement continued.

Another unit commanded by First Lieut. Joji Higai flew south through thick clouds to Nancheng, 125 kilometres south-east of Nanchang, and bombed the aeodrome there with "a great deal of success," while several other units operated over the Yangtze River to assist naval forces steaming upstream. They silenced Chinese field artillery and trench mortar positions, the communiqué concluded.

# Chinese Charged with Using Gas

## Japanese Allege Phosgene Shells Discovered

Tokyo, Sept. 13.

Chinese troop remnants, north of the Yellow River, are alleged to have used gas shells during an attack upon Chinghwa, western terminus of the Taokow-Chinghwa Railway in northwestern Honan province, on September 9, a belated official report reaching here today said.

Analysis by Japanese chemists has established that the shells contained prosgene, an asphyxiating gas, the report said.

The Chinese attack, launched at dawn, was repulsed, according to the dispatch.—Domei.

# Nazi Leaders Leaving Nuremberg

## Herr Henlein Returns to Czechoslovakia

Nuremberg, Sept. 12.

Herr Konrad Henlein, Sudeten German leader, left for Czechoslovakia today shortly after Reichsfuehrer Adolf Hitler concluded his grave speech bringing the Nazi Congress here to a close.

Field Marshal Hermann Goering, Reich's Air Minister and Prussian Premier, also left this evening. He departed for Berlin. In certain quarters it is now said that the former war ace's state of health is causing anxiety. It is recalled that he has been reported to be suffering from leg trouble and, furthermore, these quarters remember that he was seriously wounded during the Great War.

Reichsfuehrer Hitler is still here, but he is expected to leave probably tomorrow. It is stated he may go to his Berchtesgaden residence.—Havas.

# Eire Premier Urges League to Sponsor Peace Movement

**Rights Demanded Must Be Similarly Conceded; Dictated Terms Rarely Just; Faith in League**

London, Sept. 13.

MR. Eamon de Valera, the Prime Minister of Eire, was elected president of the Nineteenth Assembly of the League of Nations at Geneva yesterday by 39 votes out of 47. The session opened under the Presidency of the Chairman of the League Council, W. J. Jordon, High Commissioner for New Zealand in London, who in his speech recalled that success of the League depended on the wisdom and determination of the Governments composing it, and that it had no independent existence or capacity for action apart from what its member Governments willed.

In his Presidential address the Premier of Eire deplored the present weakness of the League, which he attributed to the failure to realize the necessity of bending their wills to the acceptance of the necessary sacrifices of selfish advantage involved in the partial pooling of sovereignty.

They had not perceived that whatever they demanded for themselves as rights, they must be prepared to accord to all others.

Mr. de Valera asked the Assembly to keep its faith in the League as the only instrument by which the prevention of war could be achieved.

The results of war, he said, were almost always and inevitably unjust.

He expressed the hope that the nineteenth Assembly might see an end brought to the dangers at present threatening peace and that a beginning would be made towards what he described as a great conference of peace based on justice. A peace conference of that kind he said was possible before but scarcely ever after a war. People of the world wanted it, he concluded.—Wireless through Reuter.

**Japan Accuses China**

Geneva, Sept. 12.

A communiqué presenting an outline of efforts made by the Japanese authorities in China in combatting epidemics was issued here today by the Japanese Permanent Bureau. The Japanese also accuse the Chinese of having poisoned wells in several towns captured by Japan's soldiers.

Japanese authorities took efficient measures to quell the epidemic of cholera that raged in Kiukiang when the Japanese first entered that city on the Yangtze, it is stated. The communiqué adds, however, that a large number of wells in both Kiukiang and Hsuchow had been found to be polluted.

"The pollution of wells in districts where no cases of cholera had been registered before leads to the belief that certain Chinese elements have resorted to deliberate and systematic action," the despatch concludes its accusation.

**Vice-Presidents Elected**

The League of Nations Assembly elected eight Vice-Presidents this afternoon, the men being the delegates of Britain, France, Switzerland, Sweden, Siam, Poland, Turkey and Soviet Russia. Mr. Eamon de Valera, Premier of Eire, was previously elected President.

The chief Chinese delegate here, Dr. Wellington Koo, Ambassador to France, conferred with M. Joseph Paul-Boncour, French delegate and former Foreign Minister, on the political and technical aspects of China's appeal to the League Council for the enforcement of Article XVII of the Covenant.

Article XVII provides for a League invitation to belligerent States, whether members of the peace body or not, to submit their differences for investigation. Should one of the States thus invited not take on, for the purposes of the inquiry, membership in the League as provided for, the Geneva body is free to enforce Article XVI, involving the application of sanctions.

**Chief British Delegate Arrives**

There was still more activity here today as Lord de la Warr, Lord Privy Seal and head of the British delegation to the League, arrived late this afternoon from London, where he had attended this morning's Cabinet meeting. He held a conference this evening with representatives of the Dominions and informed them of the latest decisions reached at the Cabinet meeting.

The League Assembly held a second session at 4.45 p.m. today, and elected a chairman by nominal vote. Ethiopia, although absent, was called among the names of the nations entitled to vote.—Havas.

# Touching Farewell To Mr. N. Aall

**Numerous Friends Wish Bon Voyage to Popular Chairman of I.R.C.**

Mr. N. Aall, former Senior-Consul, Consul-General for Norway, and Chairman of the Standing Committee of the local International Relief Association, was the guest of honour yesterday at the reception given by the members of the Standing Committee of the Association, at the Chinese Y.M.C.A., 123 Boulevard de Montigny.

The affair was opened shortly after 5 p.m. by Dr. Alfred Sao Ke Sze, former Chinese Ambassador to the U.S.A., and honorary chairman of the International Relief Committee, who presided at the ceremony. In his opening speech he referred to Mr. Aall's long and brilliant period of service in China, where, during his eighteen years of work, he did much towards the betterment of the lot of the less fortunate. As an example of his great concern for the welfare of others, he mentioned the important part he has played in the emergency organization of relief, last August, for the refugees who suddenly thronged Shanghai at the outset of the local hostilities.

Next, Dr. Y. C. Yang, President of Soochow University and Chairman of the Ways and Means Committee of the International Relief Association, delivered a lengthy and eloquent tribute to Mr. Aall's leadership of the Association's Standing Committee.

Brig. B. Morris, local Salvation Army Senior Officer and Chairman of the Relief Committee of the International Relief Association, thanked the guest of honour for his good work, on behalf of the poor, suffering and destitute children, who all benefitted from his able leadership of the Association. In wishing him Bon Voyage he reminded that:—

"Lives of great men all remind us
We may make our lives sublime
And departing leave behind us
Footprints on the Sand of Time."

The Rev. Father Jacquinot then spoke of Mr. Aall's meritorious work for the relief of war prisoners in 1932.

**New Chairman Welcomed**

Dr. Sze then welcomed Mr. G. W. Boissevain, local Netherlands Consul-General, who had agreed to succeed Mr. Aall as the Chairman of the Standing Committee of the International Relief Association. Mr. Aall then thanked the speakers and those present for the reception, referred to the Rev. Father Jacquinot's great share in local relief work, and added that his this last official reception in Shanghai will always remain as one of his most cherished memories of China which he sure to miss.

A silver pagoda-shaped incense burner inscribed with: "Presented to N. Aall, Esq., Consul-General for Norway and Senior Consul, Shanghai, in Commemoration of his excellent services on behalf of Refugee Relief as Chairman of the International Relief Committee, Shanghai, 1937-1938." and a silk scroll with the Committee badge and Chinese characters signifying "Kindness and Determined Humanity," were presented by the President and acknowledged by Mr. Aall.

**Touching Surprise**

As a complete surprise, a group of children arrived in ranks carrying paper banners with suitable inscriptions, and were introduced by Brig. B. Morris as representatives of refugee children who came to convey their thanks to Mr. Aall by a special song.

They then sang a song in Chinese illustrating it was pantomime. This unexpected scene left a great impression on those present. Deep emotion was written on the face of the guest of honour as the children sang.

Among those present at the reception, whose success reflects much credit on the organizing ability of Mr. K. Y. Li, Chairman of the General Affairs Committee of the International Relief Association, were: Dr. Alfred Sao Ke Sze, Honorary Chairman of the Committee, the Rev. Father Jacquinot, Dr. Y. C. Yang, Mr. G. W. Boissevain, Brig B. Morris, Mr. Kwan Chun-chih, Mr. Yuan Li-tung, Mr. W. H. Plant, Mr. John Barr, Mr. J. C. Olivier, Mr. C. C. Chao, Mr. K. Z. Loh and many others.

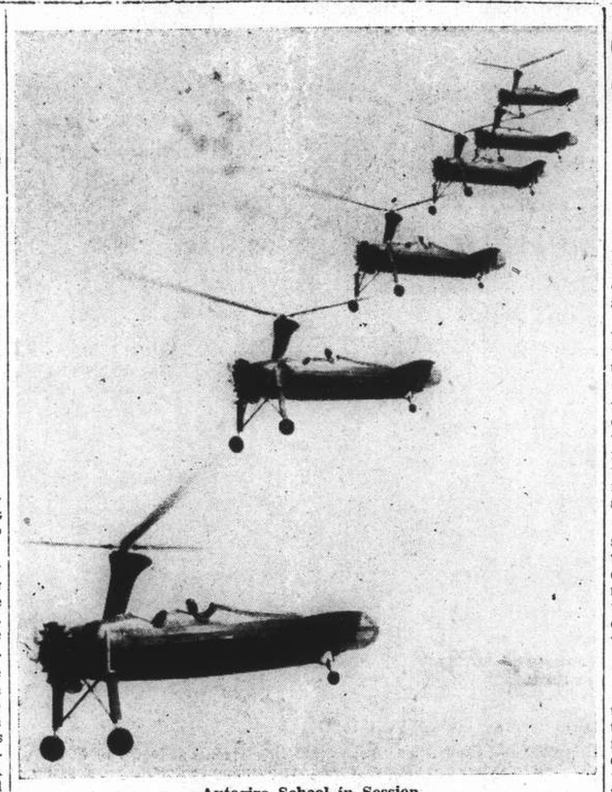
Mr. N. Aall leaves tomorrow in the mv. Marechal Joffre for his new post of Norwegian Minister to Brazil, and yesterday's reception was his last official function in this city, where he leaves many friends whose best wishes will accompany him over the seas.

## Polish Diet Dissolved

Warsaw, Sept. 13.

The Polish President, M. Ignace Moscicki, has ordered the dissolution on Parliament.—Havas.

THE Council of People's Commissars declared officially open on Sunday a new underground route, construction of which was only recently completed. This new route measures nine kilometres 600 metres and makes the total length of Moscow's underground system 26 kilometres, with 22 stations on the various routes. The new station built on this latest addition to the underground is called Dynamo, after an important industrial plant. This new station features two escalators, each 80 metres long, which set a record.



**Autogiro School in Session**

*Taken at the U.S. Army Air Corps autogiro school at Wright Field, Dayton, Ohio, this squadron of windmill planes is seen in regular echelon formation. It is believed to be the only autogiro squadron in existence.*

## *Home Fleet Begins Autumn Cruise*

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, Sept. 13.

The Home Fleet left Cromarty Firth today to begin its autumn cruise in the North Sea.—Reuter.

## Hitler Speech Leaving World in Doubt

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ful" tone of the Fuehrer's address at Nuremberg last night.

"Berliner Tageblatt" stressed that "Herr Hitler has settled Prague's account."

"Lokal Anzeiger" considered the Fuehrer's address was even more frank than the speech made by Chancellor Bismarck in 1888 "when he dispersed the clouds threatening peace by saying that 'we Germans fear God and nothing else.' Chancellor Bismarck's speech was a peace harangue, but Herr Hitler's address was a veritable peace speech," the paper added.

The journal then attacked Great Britain, declaring that at the last moment the British attitude aimed at bearing pressure upon the Fuehrer and proved an equivocal mind which explained the saying 'perfidious Albion'," the paper concluded.

According to the "Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung," it is still possible for Prague to accomplish the necessary steps speedily. "Our spirit of determination should not be doubted."

**Official Party View**

"Voelkischer Beobachter," official organ of the Nazi Party, stressed that the Fuehrer announced his decision of no longer tolerating the oppression of Germans in Czechoslovakia. "There can be no doubt that Herr Hitler's words must be taken seriously and that the Fuehrer is determined to draw their inferences."—Havas.

**American Papers Critical**

New York, Sept. 13.

The press here this morning criticized in clear terms the tone used by Herr Hitler as well as the contents of his speech at Nuremberg last night. The general opinion is that if Herr Hitler "did not declare war he did not declare peace."

All the papers stressed that the threat contained in the Fuehrer's address is making things harder and harder for "harassed Europe."

The "New York Times" considers that the address is a severe blow for the policy of appeasement being followed by the British Prime Minister, Mr. Neville Chamberlain.

The "New York Herald Tribune" believes that sooner or later, if the Reich is not compelled to retreat under pressure of force, Czechoslovakia will inevitably become Berlin's satellite. "If the Czech state is to be defended as a bulwark against a German march down the Danube, it must be defended now. If that bulwark is important enough for France and Russia, they will defend it, but after the emotional exercise in Nuremberg, a successful defence would mean so severe a diplomatic defeat for Herr Hitler as to be perhaps impossible without a war."

The "New York Times" first reproved the Fuehrer for using an "inadmissible" tone against the Czech President, Dr. Eduard Benes. "Neither Herr Hitler's words nor his tone will give much satisfaction to the "gentlemen in London whom he addressed," the paper added. The speech is a blow at the foundations of Mr. Chamberlain's policy of appeasement."

**New York Mayor's Views**

"I was **unfortunately right** two years ago when I declared that the world should not be placed at the mercy of a fanatic in a brown shirt," Mayor Fiorello La Guardia of New York stated today, commenting on Herr Hitler's speech.

The Mayor added that owing to the international crisis, the United States should decide immediately whether they want war or peace.

"If a man becomes insane, we place him in an asylum," he continued. "It is not necessary to be a specialist in European affairs to have forecast the danger of a government in irresponsible hands."—Havas.

MEASURES have been drawn up by the Chinese National Government to encourage and induce overseas Chinese to interest themselves in industrial investments in China, says a report to the "Sin Wan Pao."

## Hines Wins First Round In Mistrial Verdict

**Judge Rules "With Regret" On Prejudicial Question**

New York, Sept. 12.

James J. Hines, charged with conspiracy and bribery, won the first round of his legal battle to keep out of prison here today when State Supreme Court Justice Ferdinand Pecora announced "with regret" that he would have to declare a mistrial.

Justice Pecora said his decision was based on objections by the defence to a question asked last Saturday by Mr. Thomas Dewey, District Attorney. Mr. Dewey's question to a witness, the judge said, purported to link Hines with the poultry racket and Hines was charged only with involvement in the lottery racket. Justice Pecora said he regarded the question as prejudicial.

"It was a bad break for me," Hines said today. "They haven't any evidence against me and they never would have convicted me."

Mr. Dewey obviously was depressed by the decision, the greatest defeat he has suffered thus far in his brilliant campaign against organized crime. He said a new trial of the case probably would not be held until after the forthcoming elections.

The prosecution had presented considerable evidence from former associates of the late "Dutch" Schultz, one-time New York Beer Baron and organizer of the $100,000,000 lottery racket, claiming that Hines had been paid $500 weekly to give members of the Schultz gang political protection. Other witnesses had testified having seen Hines and Schultz together on numerous occasions prior to the assassination of the gang leader.—United Press.

## Situation Unchanged By Hitler Speech

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quire more than Sudeten autonomy within the Czech state.—Reuter.

consider that the Fuehrer will not re-

Berlin, Sept. 13.

No official reaction to Herr Hitler's speech has been obtainable so far.

There is a general feeling of relief in diplomatic circles, however, that the speech, though couched in vigorous language, contained no threat of direct measures.

The seriousness of the Czech problem remains, it is pointed out, and it will be the task of Lord Runciman and the two disputing parties to compose a settlement.—Reuter.

**Belgian Cabinet Prepared**

Brussels, Sept. 13.

The Cabinet sat for seven hours last night, and listened in by radio to Herr Hitler's speech. The Cabinet approved the statement made by the Minister for National Defence that he had taken all security measures necessary under the circumstances.—Reuter.

## *London Hears of New German Troop Moves*

London, Sept. 13.

Additional movements of German troops along the German frontier and the strengthening of some units was reported to London officials today according to the diplomatic correspondent for the "Daily Telegraph." He said the reports could be regarded here only as being "most disquieting."

The reports indicated that the German troop movements were not confined to any particular sector of the German frontier but extended along almost the entire Czech and French frontiers, the "Daily Telegraph" said, but did not state which German units were being strengthened. — United Press.

**Washington Reassured**

Washington, Sept. 13.

The strident and aggressive tones of Herr Hitler's speech brought a measure of re-assurance to Washington, where it is believed that the degree of menace is in inverse ratio to the fiery tones.

"The bark is alarming, but the bite will at least be postponed," is the summing up of opinion in official quarters, although it is recognized that Europe has gained but a respite from the fears of the past weeks.—Reuter.

**League Circles Disapprove**

Geneva, Sept. 13.

League circles consider Herr Hitler's speech is neither helpful nor constructive.

His uncompromising attitude towards Czechoslovakia, and the reiteration of the Reich's intention to assist the Sudetens has made a bad impression here. It is considered that the speech will prolong the atmosphere of uncertainty and doubt.—Reuter.

AUTHORITATIVE quarters in Rome declined to comment today on reports announcing Italy's decision to recognize the "Peiping Provisional Government" immediately after the fall of Hankow. They pointed out that such reports were based only upon conjecture and were not founded on any actual facts.

# German Gold Sent To London

**Continental Scares of War Brings Heavy Sale Offers; Market Alert**

London, Sept. 13.

With the eyes and ears of the whole world turned towards Nuremberg, it was not surprising that general activity in the City considerably slowed down today.

Markets generally were awaiting the next major development in the international political arena with the utmost calm.

On the Stock Exchange, dealers were having to contend with a certain amount of Continental liquidation of gilt-edged and goldmining favourites. Other sections, however, were holding fully steady, apart from minor recessions reflecting the absence of any business.

The commodity markets adopted a similar phlegmatic attitude, although the extent to which markets were dependent upon the present international Rubber Regulation Committee, at which the quota for the last quarter of 1938 would be decided, was only of secondary interest.

**No Gold Buying Interest**

Rather more tangible evidence of the existing tension was provided by the bullion market where, at the fixing of the gold price, there was a complete absence of buying interest, which necessitated the authorities taking up all offerings.

Well-informed circles interpreted the absence of buying and the somewhat heavy selling of gold as reflecting fears, especially among Continental holders, that, in the event of hostilities breaking out, private gold hoards might be liable to confiscation, or, even if not confiscated, that such hoards might become non-negotiable assets.

At the same time, many quarters pointed out the fact that measures of confiscation by Britain were very unlikely, and would only be resorted to in dire emergency.

Calm conditions prevailed in the foreign exchange section, with business mainly confined to small, but persistent, general demand for dollars.—Reuter.

**Odds Against War Lengthen**

London, Sept. 12.

Odds against there being a major war in Europe during 1938 lengthened on the Stock Exchange late today as reports were current that bankers were awaiting the arrival of £250,000 worth of German gold swelling the total from Germany to £4,500,000 for the past five weeks.

Earlier, 4-1 odds were quoted against war.—United Press.

## Eire Studies Measures In Event of War

**Air Raid Precautions, War Footing Considered**

Dublin, Sept. 13.

The Government has considered measures necessary in the national interest in the event of war, it is officially announced.

The character of these measures is not indicated.

Air raid precautions, coastal patrol work, putting the military forces, now 25,000 strong, on a war footing, food, and the question of supplies, are all understood to have been considered.—Reuter.

THE Chilean Cabinet resigned in Santiago on Monday in order to give the President a free hand in dealing with last week's revolt. The President, Sr. Arturo Alessandri Palma, last week received special powers from Parliament to deal with the revolt. Investigation thus far has revealed that Nazis were behind the revolt which was quickly crushed. The President, it was believed, plans to conduct a thorough campaign against the Nazi influences in Chile in order to avert future disorders.


## HEALTH IN THE PALM OF YOUR HAND

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## *Action of Japanese Held "Aggressive"*

A vigorous protest was addressed yesterday by Major-General A. P. D. Telfer-Smollett, commanding the British Forces in the Shanghai area, to the Rear-Admiral in command of the Japanese Naval Landing Party over the arrest, on Monday afternoon, of a British soldier for alleged trespass over the boundary at Blockhouse "B" near Shanghai's celebrated "Windy Corner." The soldier, Private MacKenzie, of the First Battalion the Seaforth Highlanders, was seized by Japanese sentries while he was engaged in wiring work near the blockhouse.

It is understood that the protest filed by Major-General Smollett yesterday emphasized that the action of the Japanese was considered both "unfriendly" and "aggressive."

## Martial Law Declared in Sudeten Areas

*(Continued from page 5)*

in a visit yesterday to Sir Robert Vansittart, Diplomatic Adviser to the British Government, delivered a Note opposing the holding of a plebiscite as a solution to the Sudeten problem.

The grounds on which the Czech Government bases its opposition to the holding of a plebiscite are, firstly, that the Czech Constitution does not allow a plebiscite; secondly, the Government which tried to carry out such a step would inevitably fall on account of nation-wide opposition; and thirdly, the wide diffusion of Germans in Czechoslovakia makes it impossible to define the limits of areas which would undergo a plebiscite.

While a plebiscite over the whole country, it is considered in Czech circles, is clearly not Herr Hitler's intention, M. Masaryk is understood to have pointed out that the most recent Czech concessions constitute the farthest point to which the Government is prepared to go, and, under pressure, they went further than could earlier be expected.

M. Masaryk also saw M. Kagan, Counsellor to the Soviet Embassy.—Reuter.

**U.S. Sudetens Want Anschluss**

New York, Sept. 13.

"The League of Sudeten Germans of America" sent the following telegram to Herr Konrad Henlein yesterday: "Hundreds of thousands of Sudeten Germans in America hope that their old homeland will be united with the German fatherland and declare themselves in favour of an Anschluss with Greater Germany. We pledge to you as the leader of destiny of our old homeland complete confidence."—Trans-Ocean.


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# Coal Costs to Rise In Shanghai

**Dealers Decide to Increase Local Prices**

Coal joined the upward procession of living costs yesterday. A decision was tentatively reached by local Chinese merchants to increase the price of coal by at least $2 a ton on September 15. Price of coal briquettes likewise will be raised, Chinese reports said.

Increasing freight charges and the difficulty experienced by the merchants in bringing the fuel from some of the producing provinces are the direct causes of the impending increase in coal prices.

Local merchants depended on Kailan, Annam and Chefoo for coal supplies, but with the exception of Annam the coal supply from these places has been very limited recently.

SIGNING of a newly-concluded German-Manchoukuo Trade Agreement will take place in Changchun today, Dr. Karl Knoll, German Charge d'Affaires in Mahchoukuo, and Mr. Tsai Yun-sheng, director of the Foreign Affairs Bureau, acting on behalf of their respective governments.


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The regular quarterly dividend of Tls. 1.50 per share on the Tls. 6. Silver Preferred Stock of Shanghai Power Company has been declared for payment October 1, 1938, to stockholders of record September 15, 1938, payable in Chinese dollar banknotes declared by decree of the National Government of China to be legal tender as from November 4, 1935, upon the basis of one Chinese dollar of face amount of such banknotes per 0.715 Shanghai Tael.

The transfer books will not be closed.

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*Secretary and Treasurer.*

NOTE: Checks for the abovementioned dividend will not be mailed to addresses in the areas affected by the recent hostilities, but will be available, together with any unclaimed checks for preceding dividends, on application being made to the Company's Offices, 181 Nanking Road (Room No. 200).

## FROM DAY TO DAY

MEMBERS of The King's Daughters' Society are reminded of the General Meeting to be held at Headquarters, 868 Avenue Foch, this afternoon. Tea will be served at 4.30 p.m., business 5.15.

REV. W. H. Hudspeth, secretary of the British and Foreign Bible Society, is leaving Shanghai today on the ss. Shengking on a business trip to Peiping and Kalgan. He expects to be absent about a fortnight.

THE Shanghai Special District Court has sentenced Too Ah-ping, an unlicensed milk vendor, to four months' imprisonment or to pay a fine of $240 for selling milk which was unfit for human consumption on September 5. Accused had been convicted four times previously.

MR. Cordell Hull, U.S. Secretary of State, said on Monday that he hoped to determine within the next two or three days the next step in the Mexican controversy. Mr. Hull may resort to some strong stand against the Mexican Government which rejected his latest Note.

MR. Sukehide Kabayama, member of the Japanese House of Peers, arrived in Shanghai on a visit Monday in the ss. Nagasaki Maru en route to Nanking and later to North China, the Shanghai Mainichi reported yesterday. He registered at the Astor House Hotel.

CHARGED with being drunk and disorderly in the Macao Road district on Monday evening, an Indian, Surain Singh was sentenced to 14 days' imprisonment by Mr. I. T. Morris, Acting Registrar at H. M. Court yesterday. Surain Singh was arrested by police from the Pootoo Road Station

THE German Lufthansa Company is negotiating with the Eurasia Aviation Corporation with a view to starting a Berlin-China airline, says a Chinese report. The flight will start from Berlin and end in Suchow, Kansu province, from where air routes will be charted to link up with various cities in China, the report concludes

THE health report of the French Municipality for the week ending September 10, shows that the total number of deaths from all causes amongst the foreign and Chinese population in the Concession were—Foreigners, 8 and Chinese, 610. Deaths from notifiable diseases were—Foreigners, Tuberculosis 2; Cholera 1 and Pneumonia 1. Chinese, Cholera 30; Typhoid and Paratyphoid fevers 14; Beri-beri 12; Tuberculosis 9; Dysentery 8; Diphtheria 3; Pneumonia 3.

THE following programme will be given by the Municipal Brass Band in Jessfield Park on Wednesday, September 14, from 4.30 —6 p.m. (weather permitting):—

March "Kaisermarsch" .....Wagner
Valse "Hochzeitlieder" .....Strauss
Scena Espagnole "Sevillana" ....Elgar
Selection "The Arcadians" ....Talbot
Tone-Poem "Finlandia" .....Sibelius
Two Songs
"A Perfect Day" .....Jacobs-Bond
"A Cradle Song" .....Brahms
Selection "The Belle of New York" .....Kerker

# Two Liners Leave TomorrowMorning

### Gertrude Maersk Arrives Today; Patroclus Sails For Taku Bar on Friday

The local offices of the L.T. announce that their mv. Victoria sails from the Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf Company's Hongkew Wharf tomorrow at 11 a.m. for Hongkong, Manila, Singapore, Colombo, Bombay, Aden, Massowa, Port Said, Naples and Genoa. The passenger tender leaves the Customs Jetty at 8 a.m. while luggage should be delivered to the lighter at the same jetty, today from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

As previously announced, the M.M mv. Marechal Joffre leaves the Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf Company's Hongkew Wharf, tomorrow at 7 a.m. for Marseilles by way of Hongkong, Saigon, Singapore, Colombo, Djibouti, Suez and Port Said. Her outgoing passengers are to be conveyed to the ship by tender from the French Bund jetty, today at 5 p.m or embark into the liner direct at the wharf.

Sailing for Hongkong, Manila, Singapore, Colombo, Port Said, Genoa, Rotterdam and Hamburg, the H.A.L. mv. Leverkusen will leave buoys 12-13 tomorrow morning. The Wilhelmsen Line expect their mv Talabot from Japan on Saturday and announce that she will tie up to buoys 11-12, from where she is to sail on Monday morning for Casablanca, Antwerp, Rotterdam, Hamburg and Oslo calling on the way at Hongkong, Singapore and Port Said.

Arriving from Dairen and Tsingtao, the D.K.K. ss. Dairen Maru is due at the company's wharf today at about 2 p.m. She leaves for the same ports on Friday at 11 a.m. The N.Y.K. ss. Shanghai Maru sails on Friday at 9 a.m. for Nagasaki direct.

**Gertrude Maersk**

According to present arrangements, the Maersk Line mv. Gertrude Maersk arrives tomorrow at daylight from Manila and Hongkong and will berth at the Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf Company's Hongkew Wharf, from where she is to proceed on the following day for Japan, Los Angeles, Panama, Boston, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Savannah, Norfolk and New York. The Holland East-Asia Line expect their ss. Grootekerk from Europe and way ports, on Friday at Holt's Wharf, where she should stop for about a day and then proceed to Dairen and Japan ports.

It is announced that the Blue Funnel ss. Patroclus should leave Holt's Wharf on Friday for Taku Bar, while their ss. Sarpedon arrives from Kobe on Friday morning and will moor to buoys 14-15, which she will leave on Saturday afternoon for Marseilles, London, Rotterdam and Glasgow.

Their ss. Eurymedon is expected from New York, Savannah and Hongkong at Holt's Wharf on Saturday. She should stop here for about two days and then leave for Japan ports. The same company's ss. Laomedon is due from Japan on Sunday at buoys 14-15 and is to leave on Monday for Havre, Liverpool and Bromborough.

Latest advices received from the local offices of the I.-C.S.N. Co. state that their ss. Wingsang is expected from Tientsin, Chefoo and Tsingtao today at 6 p.m. at the Roosevelt Terminal Wharf, while their ss. Suiwo arrives from Sanchakong this afternoon at the Peking Rd. jetty, from where she sails for the same port tomorrow at 6 a.m. Their ss. Leesang leaves the Roosevelt Terminal Wharf tomorrow at 1 p.m. for Swatow, Hongkong and Canton.

Local offices of the C.N. announce that their ss. Newchwang is due from Swatow at the French Bund, this morning, while their ss. Chengtu arrives at the same Bund tomorrow morning from Hongkong and Swatow. Their ss. Shengking sails from the French Bund today at 10 a.m. for Tsingtao, Weihaiwei, Chefoo and Tientsin. The ss. Chungking leaves the same bund for the same ports tomorrow at 1 p.m.

The same company's ss. Hsin Peking leaves Pootung today at 1 p.m. for Wenchow; while the ss. Suiyang sails from the French Bund today at 1 p.m. for Amoy, Hongkong, Hoihow, Pakhoi and Haiphong.

Mr. Radom, Dr. Harrison, Miss D. Eardley and Miss D. Rogers sailed yesterday for Hongkong in the ss Taiyuan.

"N.C.D.N." Photo.

**Seaforths Spend a Quiet Hour**

*One ability the Seaforth Highlanders will take away with them from China. They have learnt to play mah jongg. Here is a party at the Racecourse passing a spare hour at the game.*

## Report on Chekiang Finances

Mr. Chen Ping-nien, the Chekiang Provincial Finance Commissioner, arrived here from Hangchow on Monday to submit a report to the "Reformed Government" on the financial condition of Chekiang and to ask for instructions, Chinese sources close to the new régime revealed. Mr. Chen will return to Chekiang after about a week's stay here.

## Bit Adopted Daughter

Stated to have bitten her adopted daughter in a fit of rage, Chang Yuesz, was, at the First Special District Court yesterday, sentenced to six months' imprisonment on a charge of maltreating the child. The fourteen years old girl, Chang Ching-mai, was sent to the Door of Hope.

## Bank Cashier's Story Of Buried Treasure

### $30,000 Said to Have Been Hidden Under House

Jewellery, silver dollars and coins to the value of $30,000 were buried under a house in Siking, near Tsingpu along the Shanghai-Hangchow Railway, it was stated in the First Special District Court yesterday when Zee Zao-woo, former cashier of the Nanwei (Pootung) branch of the Farmers Bank of Kiangsu, was released on the request of the bank official after he had been charged with stealing the above sum.

It was stated in court that during detention Detective-Sergeant J. W. Sanbrook discovered that the clerk went to Siking in July and brought $23,900 to Shanghai. After paying $3,000 to a Chinese and Japanese who helped him to bring back the money, he deposited $20,000 at the Chekiang Industrial Bank. The police recovered the bank book and handed it over to the bank officials who then requested that the charges should not be pressed against their former employee.

Zee, it was stated, left Nanwei in November after the hostilities for Shanghai, and on the way he suggested that the jewellery and money should be buried under his house in Siking. This was agreed to and both men came to Shanghai without the valuables as they did not wish to risk losing them in an encounter with guerillas or Japanese forces.

Zee went back to Siking in July and brought back all the banknotes he could carry, leaving the jewellery, silver dollars and coins still buried. The bank were told of this and informed the police, who arrested Zee last week. It was stated that the total value of the valuables still buried amonts to about $6,000.

ANTI-JEWISH measures approved by the Italian Cabinet September 1 were published in Monday night's official gazette. All foreign Jews therefore will be forced to leave Italy by March 12, 1939.

# Japanese Prefer European Peace

### Hitler's Speech Taken To Indicate Peaceful Czech-Sudeten Accord

Tokyo, Sept. 13.

Quotations on the Tokyo stock market, which had firmed up during the past week in expectation of a European War, sagged this morning with the reading of reports of Herr Hitler's speech.

This is regarded in Japanese circles as leaving the way open for a peaceful settlement.

The morning papers did not carry the speech, owing to the lateness of its arrival, but it was given considerable prominence in the evening papers.

Weighing the advantages and disadvantages of war in Europe upon Japan's position in China, authoritative Japanese quarters claim that they would prefer peace.

One of the main reasons for this preference appears to be a fear of a rupture of the Anti-Comintern Axis if Germany were defeated.

On the contrary, it is claimed that war in Europe would inevitably result in a stoppage of the flow of arms to China, enabling a speedier achievement of Japan's objective.

Simultaneously, Japanese circles profess no concern over China's appeal to the League for sanctions, taking the view that there is no chance of sanctions being adopted.—Reuter.

## Chinese Hong Bombed; Two Men Wounded

### Grenade Tosser Escapes From Rue du Consulat

Two Chinese accountants were wounded shortly after midday yesterday when an unidentified Chinese threw two hand-grenades at a Chinese import and export hong, House 10, Lane 183 Rue du Consulat, near the North Gate district of Nantao.

One of the victims, named Loh Kuo-zeng, chief accountant, was seriously injured while the other man, Shen Hue-tsang, escaped with minor wounds.

The bombs were of the "Mills" type. The terrorist responsible for the attack escaped, and is being sought by the French Police.

## Corrigan Reaches Los Angeles

Los Angeles, Sept. 12.

Mr. Douglas Corrigan, hero of the "backward" flight across the Atlantic in a $900 plane, arrived here today for an official reception in his honour. Mr. Corrigan, according to Grand Central Air Terminal authorities, violated Bureau of Air Commerce regulations when he approached the Los Angeles airport today 90 minutes late after cracking a cylinder head at San Diego.

Leading businessmen later honoured Mr. Corrigan at a luncheon. During the luncheon the Assistant City Attorney, Mr. Newton J. Kendall, died of heart failure.—United Press.

## FUNERAL

**Mr. M. Hirsch**

The funeral (cremation) service for the late Mr. Max Hirsch, who died suddenly at his residence early on Friday morning was held in the Bubbling Well Cemetery Chapel on Monday afternoon when the Rev. F. J. Ottewell of the Cathedral officiated. The chief mourners were Mrs. Drake and family. There was a large representation present from the Third Division S.M.P. Specials under Inspector K. M. Pate, others present including Supt. Porritt representing D. C. Specials and Chief Insp. R. C. Hall, Shanghai Municipal Police. On the coffin rested a wreath from Muttchen, Mickey and Andrew, and one from Lily Kay and Darryl. Among other sending wreaths The Deputy Commissioner Officers and members of the S.M.P. Specials, Old Comrades of 3rd Division S.M.P. (Sp) Gwen and Pete, Solovieff Family, James and Nadja, Deutsches Generalkonsulat Schanghai, I. Ohnishi, Chi Yung Ping, etc.

The funeral arrangements were in the care of Messrs Thomas MacDonald and Co.

## Reno Night to Help Chinese Lepers

Announcement is made by Mr. T. C. Wu, general secretary of the Chinese Mission to Lepers, 41 Tszepang Road, that a Reno Night in aid of the institution will be held at the Pavillion, opposite Jessfield Park on Saturday night, September 24, rain or shine.

Tickets of admission are one dollar and are obtainable from members of the Committee, at the Pavillion or at Jimmy's Kitchen, 133 Nanking Road. Admission tickets will entitle the purchasers to a buffet supper, an elaborate programme of entertainment, dancing and the opportunity to win handsome cash prizes, which have been donated by Mr. J. J. James. More than a dozen well-known professional artistes will appear on the programme, in addition to many talented amateur entertainers.

The Chinese Mission to Lepers was organized in 1926 by a group of Christians and Shanghai Rotarians following the visit to this city of Mr. William M. Danner, general secretary of the American Mission to Lepers. The Mission, it is explained, now has auxiliaries in many parts of China. The National Leprosarium of Shanghai was established by the Mission at Taziang in 1935 with a sum in excess of $100,000. The buildings of the institution are believed to be intact but the contents have been removed and the sum of $20,000 is needed for necessary repairs.

## Bandits Rob Occupants Of Hire-Car

The occupants of a hire-car of the Silver Taxi service were robbed by four armed bandits who halted the car in Swatow Road near Yu Ya Ching Road at midnight on Monday. The victims reported the crime to detectives at the Louza Station but were not able to give the approximate value of the property stolen. No shots were fired.

# Russians Charged with Stealing Coffins

### Six Accused Receive Gaol Sentences for Theft

Six Russians, Nicolai Matveenko, Temriby Taipakoff, F. Sheheleslamoff, Paval T. Robert, M. A. Avdearoff and N. Galkin, were sentenced to terms of imprisonement at the First Special District Court yesterday on charges of having stolen coffins from the Chong Nyi Charity Society at 259 Tongshan Road. The first two accused received sentences of seven months imprisonment each while the other four were each sent to gaol for five months.

Mr. Paul L. Tsiang, prosecuting, stated that the robbery was instigated by Matveenko, who was described as the manager of the Russo-Japanese Trading Co. with headquarters at 200 Seward Road, according to police reports. It was alleged that Matveenko sent five of his employees to the Society's offices and they removed 10 coffins in a truck.

Later, it was stated, Detective Sergeant Eynstone located Matveenko and the other accused and they were formally charged with stealing the coffins, but they denied all knowledge of the theft, Matveenko stating in court that the others had brought him lumber for which he paid $10. The coffins were stated to be valued at $500.

The other men denied Matveenko's story and said that he had hired a truck and asked them to remove the coffins.

## Man Killed in Traffic Not Yet Identified

The Shanghai Municipal Police were yesterday trying to identify a middle-aged Chinese of the coolie class who was knocked down and killed in traffic at about 11.30 o'clock on Monday night. The accident occurred in Purdon Road, near Boone Road, West Hongkew. The man, who was about 45 years old, was wearing a blue cotton jacket and trousers when struck. His body was taken to the Public Mortuary in Kiaochow Road.

## Fake Japanese Military Passes Uttered

Four Chinese operators of a pass bureau, who had in their possession six counterfeit Japanese military passes, were arraigned before the First Special District Court yesterday and one of the accused—Wong Yi-min—was sentenced to six months' imprisonment while the other three were each fined $30.

It was stated that the accused sold six fake passes to the Che Jen Transport Co. at 650 Kwangse Road at a price of $8.30 each. When the passes were proved to be fakes the four men were arrested and they implicated a Japanese, who was said to have supplied them with the passes. The Japanese, it was stated, was located by the police and handed over to the Japanese consular authorities.

## Armed Police for Nanking Streets

After an absence of several months, armed Chinese police again will patrol Nanking streets soon, messages received here yesterday reported.

Mr. Hsu Tsung-jen, director of the Nanking Police Bureau, has ordered his subordinates to prepare a map of streets where patrol parties will be dispatched to conduct searches.

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## THE SPORTS PAGE

# Big Upsets at Forest Hills

### Margot Lumb Plays Magnificent Tennis to Trounce Helen Jacobs; Riggs Beaten

Forest Hills, N.Y., Sept. 12.

THE most stunning double upset in the history of the Forest Hills National Tennis Tournament occurred today when Margot Lumb of Great Britain defeated Helen Jacobs of California, and Gilbert Hunt, Jr., of Washington conquered Bobby Riggs of California and the U.S. Davis Cup team in the third round of competition for the singles championships here.

Miss Lumb defeated Miss Jacobs in straight sets, 7-5, 6-2, while Hunt took the measure of the highly regarded Riggs in a bitter battle, 6-2, 0-6, 9-7, 0-6, 6-4.

Miss Lumb played the greatest tennis of her career to beat Miss Jacobs. She displayed an amazingly speedy forehand, magnificent volleying, and a smashing service which never let Miss Jacobs get set and completely wrecked her usually methodical and crafty game.

**Mako Beats Puncec**

In the fourth round of the tournament, Joe Hunt defeated Yvon Petra in a match that went two hours before reaching a conclusion, 6-4, 4-6, 6-4, 9-7 Gene Mako conquered Joseph Puncec in the same round by scores of 6-2, 6-4, 9-7.

In the third round of the women's singles, Nancy Wynne conquered Helen Pedersen, 8-6, 3-6, 6-1, Mme. Simone Mathieu of France defeated Gracie Wheeler of America, 6-4, 6-1 and Dorothy Bundy took the measure of Mrs. Harry Hopman, wife of the Australian Davis Cup team manager, 6-4, 6-1.—United Press.

# 50th Home Run for Hank Greenberg

### First Baseman Now Even With Record Pace Set by The Bambino

Chicago, Sept. 12.

Lanky Hank Greenberg, mountainous Detroit Tigers first sacker, blasted out his 50th home run of the current campaign today as the Bengals defeated the Chicago White Sox, 4-3, in the only major league game on the schedule.

Greenberg is now exactly even with the record breaking pace established by Babe Ruth in 1927 when the Bambino connected for sixty circumnavigational wallops.

With but 20 games remaining on the Tiger schedule, Greenberg must hit 11 homers, or an average of one every other day, to break the record set by Ruth.

The Tigers actually won their game today in the sixth inning, when they broke through to score one run and break a 3-3 deadlock which had existed from the second inning, when Joe Kuhel of the Hose and Greenberg of the Tigers blasted out home runs.

Benton was hit freely, but managed to bear down in the pinches to avoid disaster. Knott and Whitehead, the Chicago twirlers, allowed fewer hits, but the blows came at inopportune moments after costly boots committed by the Chisox infield.

Scores:

**American League**

| | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 3 | 9 | 2 |
| Detroit | 4 | 7 | 0 |

Batteries: Knott, Whitehead and Tresh; Benton and York.

No other games played in either National or American Leagues.

**Team Standings**

| National League | Won | Lost | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Pittsburgh | 77 | 54 | .588 |
| Chicago | 75 | 59 | .560 |
| Cincinnati | 74 | 60 | .552 |
| New York | 73 | 61 | .545 |
| Boston | 67 | 66 | .504 |
| St. Louis | 63 | 72 | .470 |
| Brooklyn | 61 | 72 | .459 |
| Philadelphia | 43 | 89 | .326 |

| American League | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 92 | 42 | .687 |
| Boston | 76 | 56 | .576 |
| Cleveland | 76 | 57 | .571 |
| Detroit | 70 | 64 | .522 |
| Washington | 66 | 69 | .489 |
| Chicago | 54 | 73 | .425 |
| St. Louis | 47 | 82 | .364 |
| Philadelphia | 48 | 86 | .358 |

—United Press.

# Mrs. Krenov Reaches Semi-finals

### Miss Harrop to Oppose Miss Holwill Next

Mrs. B. Krenov experienced no difficulty to enter into the semi-finals of the Ladies singles championship when she disposed of Mrs. I. H. Howell yesterday afternoon on the Shanghai Lawn Tennis Association court by two love sets.

The winner was clearly a much superior player as she retired her opponent in less than thirty minutes. Mrs. Howell made a plucky fight throughout the contest and nearly broke into the winning side on three occasion when Mrs. Krenov was getting a little careless. A fairly strong service and sound stroking from the base-line built up the winner's game.

Today, beginning at 5 p.m., Mrs. Collaco will oppose Miss Becee Lo, the only Chinese player in the race. The Portuguese is expected to come through and will probably meet Mrs. R. Fletcher in the next round to fight for the right of entering the final. Mrs. Fletcher is to play Mrs. S. Bradley on Friday. Tomorrow Miss B. Harrop will face Miss J. Holwill in a contest which should prove to be most interesting.

# Armstrong Relinquishes Featherweight Title

### Few Challengers and Hard To Reduce Weight

Los Angeles, Sept. 12.

It will be a mistake from today on to refer to Henry Armstrong, the Black Plague of Boxing, as a "triple champion."

Hurricane Henry officially announced today that he was relinquishing all claims to the featherweight championship, owing both to the scarcity of suitable challengers and the extreme difficulty he experiences in making the weight limit of 126 pounds.

Armstrong will concentrate his attention in the future solely on the defence of his world's lightweight and welterweight crowns.—United Press.

# Big Baseball Trade

St. Louis, Sept. 12.

It was officially announced today that the St. Louis Cardinals have traded Sammy Baugh and Art Garibaldo, together with an unannounced sum of money, to the Sacramento Senators of the Pacific Coast League for Joe Orengo, shortstop, Herman Franks, catcher, and Lee Sherrill, pitcher.

The three new members of the Gashouse Gang will report in Spring. Garibaldi has already joined the Sacramento club, while Sammy Baugh has temporarily stopped baseball in favor of professional football with the world champion Washington Redskins.—United Press.

# *Annual Rugby Meeting Set for October 4*

The 32nd Annual General Meeting of the members of the Shanghai Rugby Union Football Club will be held at the Shanghai Race Club on Tuesday, October 4, at 5.30 p.m. Members are reminded that candidates for election as honorary officers, or for the general or selection committees, must be duly proposed and seconded by members of the club in writing and that these proposals must be received by the hon. secretary not less than 48 hours before the time of the meeting.

# Hungjao Golf Club to Meet H.M.S. Suffolk

### Four-ball Handicap Match This Afternoon

A handicap four-ball golf match will be played this afternoon between H.M.S. Suffolk and the Hungjao Golf Club at the latter's course.

The players will have tiffin together at the Clubhouse at about 1.15 p.m. and those who will not be present at tiffin are asked to notify the hon. secretary as soon as possible.

The handicapping will be on the board system, i.e. the lowest handicap player goes to scratch and the other three get their full difference in strokes between their handicap and his at the holes stated on the scoring card, i.e. "A" who is 4 will go to scratch, "B" who is 7 to 3, "C" 11 to 7, and "D" 18 to 14, i.e. all go down 4 strokes.

The sides are as follows.

H.M.S. Suffolk.—Capt. C. S. Sandford (20), Cmdr. P. S. Smith (9); Lieut D. H. Elles (11), Paymr. Sub. Lieut. Sutherland (8); Lieut. F. Fletcher (12), Paym.-Lieut. H. S. Spittle (12); Instr.-Lieut.-Cmdr. A. Gunn (14), Midshipman G. Wilson (15); Lieut. E. A. Blundell (18), Surg. Lieut. K. E. J. Fletcher (16); Lieut.-Cmdr. A. Murray-Smith (20), Lieut.-Cmdr. M. A. Everett (20); Lieut.-Cmdr. E. M. Penton (24), Midshipman R. Wake (24); Paymr.-Cmdr. S. T. Crichton (24), Capt. F. A. Millikan (24).

Club.—C. B. Ogilvie (19), Gen. Telfer-Smollett (17); G. E. Nicholl (4), H. R. Cleland (10); H. Maitland (13), Major B. H. Ashmore (10); F. S. Gibbings (9), K. E. Newman (12); L. G. Smith-Wright (14), R. D. K. Silby (14); E. F. Watts (11), H. Laffond (12); Dr. E. G. Gauntlett (15), R. G. MacDonnald (15); E. C. Robinson (14), T. S. Powell (24).

# Shanghai Cricket Club Sides This Week-end

The Shanghai Cricket Club will be represented by the following teams in their matches this week-end.

Semi-final Knock-out: Stragglers (v. Tyros Saturday 1.30 p.m. S.C.C. Ground).—A. C. Sinclair (Capt.), R. Booth, H. A. Crickmer, E. R. Duckett, R. H. Goodwin, I. M. Hutchison, C. F. King, M. Kingdon, L. T. Lawrance, G. J. Read, E. J. Sluis. Reserves: L. Heap, J. D. Sayle, W. V. K. Chadwick. Umpire: A. Lingard. Scorer: H. S. Bartley.

S.C.C. (v. British Army Sunday 12 noon sharp S.C.C. Ground). —D. W. Leach (Capt.), R. Booth, J. B. Brown, A. V. T. Deane, E. R. Duckett, A. Graham, J. C. Jenkins, A. Lingard, J. W. Pote-Hunt, A. C. Sinclair, L. F. Stokes. Reserves: D. Allen, T. H. Wood, W. E. Tingle. Umpire: A. J. Daniels Esq. Scorer: H. S. Bartley Esq.

# Home Football Results

London, Sept. 13.

Following are the results of the League Soccer Matches played yesterday:—

**English League**

1st Division

Leicester City 2, Birmingham 1

2nd Division

Fulham 0, Burnley 0
Tottenham Hotspur 2, Sheffield United 2

3rd Division (South)

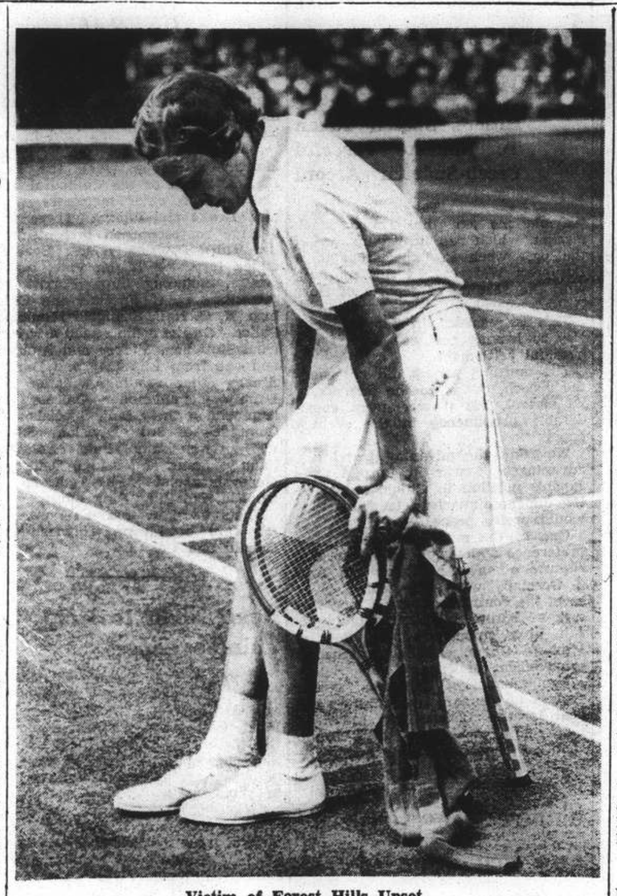
Bristol Rovers 0, Aldershot 0

3rd Division (North)

Bradford City 1, Halifax Town 0
Doncaster Rovers 5, Rochdale 0
Hull City 4, Barrow 0
Lincoln City 0, New Brighton 0
Rotherham United 0, Barnsley 1.
—Reuter.

# Tie Results in Captain's Prize at Hungjao Course

In the Captain's Prize golf competition at the Hungjao Golf Club's course, a tie resulted between A. Ricketts and H. Laffond instead of a win for Ricketts as previously announced.



**Victim of Forest Hills Upset**

*Miss Helen Jacobs who was one of the favourites in the National Singles Championship being played at Forest Hills now met defeat unexpectedly at the hands of Miss Margot Lumb of Britain who played an inspired game.*

# First Battalion Overwhelm U.S.S. Asheville 17-7

### City League Baseball Champions Show No Mercy; Aikman and Zizak Hit Home Runs

WITH as furious an attack as they have been able to make in the past, the First Battalion brought the 1938 City League baseball season to a close yesterday by trouncing the U.S.S. Asheville by a heavy score of 17-7 on the Race Course. The new champions finished the League fixtures with fourteen victories and two defeats.

Trailing two games behind were the Second Battalion, title-winners of the 1937 season. The Headquarters "Orphans" placed third with an average of eight wins and as many losses. The Amateurs finished fourth, winning seven and losing nine, and the sailors occupied the cellar position with only one victory in sixteen starts.

The victorious First Battalion began their scoring spree in the fourth inning, chalking up both the tying and leading runs. They put the game on ice in the fifth with a string of four runs and then drove Harvey off the mound at the end of the sixth frame by scoring another pair of runs. Omohumdro came on to make the delivery but was also rudely handled as the First nine scored a half dozen markers in the eighth session before the game was called on account of darkness.

Two home runs featured the start of the contest. Aikman homered but the Asheville team came back immediately when Zizak repeated the four-bagger performance with a shot toward the Cricket Club. The wallop chased in two runners, Lopitz and Giradet.

In the fourth inning Harvey showed signs of weaking as he walked two batters, first Orzech and then Richer. The former scored the equalizing run on Wallace's Texas Leaguer and the latter netted the leading point when Third Baseman Sloan alowed Lopitz's peg to bounce over his head.

**No Support for Harvey**

Harvey failed to receive support from his teammates in the second half of the same inning. With Gray having singled his way to first and stolen second, Harvey poled out a great shot into the right-field and made three bases on it, besides scoring the man on second to deadlock the score at 2-2. He died on third.

Having removed the threat, the champions bore down and began to add more interest to the game. Davis led off when he was hit by a pitched ball. He pilfered second before Sharpless reached first on Warzywak's error. The latter stole second and the two men came home on Ashley's raking drive into centre-field. On the throw-in Ashley ran to second. A baulk moved him to the hot corner and then a passed ball sent him across the plate. Orzech followed up with a rolling shot across second-base. He got second as Moore grounded out. Richer dropped a fly into right to push the the runner home for the fourth tally, which made the lead insurmountable.

Play grew listless in the remaining periods. The victors continued to take full charge of the situation. In the eighth inning Omohumdro cracked up, giving three walks and making wild pitches. Failing light, after the end of the inning, saved the Navy pitcher from receiving further rough treatment.

**First Battalion**

| | AB. | R. | H. | PO. | A. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Sharpless, ss. | 4 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 0 |
| Aikman, 1b., lf. | 5 | 1 | 2 | 8 | 0 | 0 |
| Ashley, lf. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| King, 1b. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Orzech, cf. | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Moore, 2b. | 5 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Richer, rf. | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Olsen, cf. | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Wallace, 3b. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| Frederick, c. | 5 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 1 |
| Davis, p. | 4 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | 38 | 17 | 13 | 22 | 6 | 2 |

**U.S.S. Asheville**

| | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Kenny, 2b. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 0 |
| Volpiansky, rf. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Warzywak, rf. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Lopitz, cf. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Lengyel, cf. | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Giradet, ss. | 4 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| Zizak, 1b. | 4 | 2 | 2 | 7 | 0 | 1 |
| Gray, c. | 4 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| Harvey, p. | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Omohumdro, p. | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Sloan, 3b. | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| Kiwalczyk, lf. | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Bruno, lf. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| | 36 | 7 | 11 | 25 | 9 | 4 |

Score by Innings

| | |
|---|---|
| 1st Battalion | 2 0 0 2 4 2 1 6—17 |
| U.S.S. Asheville | 3 0 0 1 1 0 2 0— 7 |

Earned runs by 1st Battalion 10, Asheville 3; Two base hits by Giradet 1, Davis 1, Omohumdro 1; Three base hits by Harvey 1, Zizak 1; Home runs by Aikman 1, Zizak 1; Stplen bases by Sharpless 3, Aikman 2, Orzech 1, Moore 1, Olsen 2, Wallace 1, Frederick 1, Davis 1, Gray 2, Harvey 1, Kowalczyk; Runs batted in my Aikman 4, Ashley 2, King 1, Richer 1, Wallace 1, Frederick 1, Zizak 3, Harvey 1, Omohumdro 1; Winning pitcher, Davis; Losing pitcher, Harvey First on balls Harvey 3, Omohumdro 3, Davis 1; Struck out by Harvey 6, Davis 8; Left on bases by 1st Battalion 3, Asheville Passed balls by Frederick 1, Gray 1; Hit by pitcher, Warzywak 1, Davis 1; Balk against Harvey 1.

Time of Game;—2 hours 5 minutes.

Umpires:—Rose (plate) and Morang (bases).

# Lombardi Leading All Batters

### Foxx Creeping Up on Home Run Total of Greenberg; Ruffing Heads Pitchers

New York, Sept. 10.

Ernie Lombardi, star catcher of the Cincinnati Reds, retained his major league batting race lead in the statistics compiled through Friday, it was officially announced here today.

The ponderous Red backstop is pounding the ball at a .350 clip, to lead Earl Averill, with .345 and Jimmy Foxx, with .343, by a fairly good margin.

Hank Greenberg despite an appalling slump, continues to head the home run department with 47, but Jimmy Foxx is creeping up almost daily. Through Friday, Foxx had gathered 42 circuit blows. All hopes for Greenberg's smashing of Babe Ruth's record have been virtually abandoned, however.

Jimmy Foxx continued to top the list in both runs and runs batted in, with 117 and 150, respectively, while Frank McCormick continues to lead all stickers in the number of hits made with a total of 184.

Charlie Ruffing of the Yankees and Mace Brown of the Pirates top the American and National League pitchers respectively.

Following are the official statistics, with batting averages including all games played through Friday and pitching records including all games played through Thursday:

**Batting**

| | |
|---|---|
| Lombardi, Reds | .350 |
| Averill, Indians | .345 |
| Foxx, Red Sox | .343 |
| Travis, Senators | .341 |
| DiMaggio, Yankees | .337 |
| Trosky, Indians | .337 |
| Chapman, Red Sox | .337 |

**Home Runs**

| | |
|---|---|
| Greenberg, Tigers | 47 |
| Foxx, Red Sox | 42 |
| Ott, Giants | 33 |
| York, Tigers | 32 |
| Clift, Browns | 30 |
| Goodman, Reds | 30 |

**Runs Batted In**

| | |
|---|---|
| Foxx, Red Sox | 150 |
| DiMaggio, Yankees | 124 |
| Greenberg, Tigers | 116 |
| York, Tigers | 115 |
| Dickey, Yankees | 109 |

**Runs**

| | |
|---|---|
| Foxx, Red Sox | 117 |
| Greenberg, Tigers | 117 |
| DiMaggio, Yankees | 116 |
| Rolfe, Yankees | 115 |
| Gehringer, Tigers | 115 |

**Hits**

| | |
|---|---|
| McCormick, Reds | 184 |
| Cramer, Red Sox | 178 |
| Vosmik, Red Sox | 178 |
| Almada, Senators | 172 |
| DiMaggio, Yankees | 172 |

**Pitching Records**

| American League | W. | L. |
|---|---|---|
| Ruffing, Yankees | 20 | 5 |
| Chandler, Yankees | 14 | 4 |
| Grove, Red Sox | 14 | 4 |
| Ostermueller, Red Sox | 10 | 4 |
| Pearson, Yankees | 14 | 6 |
| **National League** | | |
| Brown, Pittsburgh | 14 | 6 |
| Warneke, Cardinals | 13 | 6 |
| Klinger, Pittsburgh | 10 | 5 |
| Lee, Cubs | 17 | 9 |
| Vander Meer, Reds | 13 | 7 |

Batting records include all games played through Friday, September 9.

Pitching records include all games played through Thursday, Sept. 8.

# *Cobb Drives Nearly 340 M.P.H.*

Bonneville Salt Flats, Utah, Sept. 12.

John Cobb of Great Britain attained a tremendous speed in his gigantic car here today, but failed to break the world record established recently by his compatriot, Captain George Eyston.

Cobb hurtled his tremendous car over the glistening white beds of salt at 339.5 miles an hour as an average for the northward and southward runs—faster than any man had ever travelled on land before with the exception of the smashing performance by Capt. Eyston recently when the British speed king set the world's record of more than 345 miles an hour.

Cobb will try again soon. —United Press.

# World's Greatest Place Kicker Wins Game

### War Waged on American Football Field

Chicago, Sept. 12.

Automatic Jack Manders, the greatest place kicker the gridiron world has ever seen, indicated tonight that he has lost none of the deadly accuracy which for four seasons has stamped him as one of the most prolific point scorers in the National League when he booted a field goal over the bar from the 43 yard line to give the Chicago Bears three points and victory over the Chicago Cardinals, 16-13.

For four quarters the youthful Cardinal line, with Tommy Morang and Boxcar Maneikis pillars of repulsive strength at the two tackle positions, thrust the powerhouse attack of Bronko Nagurski, Beattie Feathers, Keith Molesworth and Johnny Brumbaugh back on its heels, while tearing great gaps in the Bear forward wall through which the flaming-jersied Cardinal backs poured in a stready stream.

**Cards Downfall**

Lack of reserve strength, however, caused the downfall of the Cards after they had piled up an early lead, and a peculiar vulnerability to aerial attacks proved their undoing, for the Bears passed their way to a tie score.

Neither team scored in the third period, although most of the play was in Bear territory, and it wasn't until Paul Pardonner fumbled a punt in the fourth quarter, which was recovered by Bill Hewitt, former Michigan star, that the Bears were again able to score.

This was the point at which Automatic Jack came through with his first field goal of the year on his first attempt.—United Press.

# Cambridgeshire Call-over

London, Sept. 13.

The call-over for the Cambridgeshire, (one mile and one furlong), which will be run at Newmarket on October 12, is as follows:—

15-1 Domhaha, offered, 100-6, taken
100-6 Agincourt
20-1 Gainly, Bombay Duck, Michoumy
25-1 Carlisle, Zaimis, Lali, Couvert, Daytona, Foxglove, San Salvo, Innish Boffin, Pactolus, Artists Prince, offered
33-1 Golden Sovereign, taken and offered
33-1 Thankerton, Caerloptic, Sea Bequest, Man Nance, San Miguel, offered
33-1 Ramtapa, taken and offered
33-1 Dan Bulger, offered,
33-1 Leksar, offered, 40-1 taken
40-1 Quarter Maitre, offered, 50-1, taken
40-1 Bistolfi, Khasnader, offered, 45-1 taken.—Reuter.

# Gower's Side Makes 363 For Eight Declared

### Hardstaff Hits Up 108 in Match Against Australians

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, Sept. 13.

Mr. H. D. G. Leveson Gower's eleven hit up 363 for eight declared against the Australians at Scarborough yesterday.

Hardstaff made 108, and Hutton and Leyland 73 and 51 respectively.

O'Reilly took four wickets for 75.

The Australians were no runs for no wickets at the close of play.

McCormick pulled a leg muscle during the game, and may be unable to play in any further matches.—Reuter.

# Call-over for Cesarewitch

London, Sept. 13.

The call-over for the Cesarewitch (two miles and two furlongs), which is to be run at Newmarket on October 26, is as follows:—

100-6 Epigram, Slip On, offered
18-1 Snipewood, offered
20-1 Punch, Fet, Snake Lightning, Michoumy, offered
25-1 Celibate, Ranfield, Near Relation, Trevisani, Marcus Superbus, Bultoi, Faring, Naval Display offered
33-1 Valerian, Harewood, Senor, Winnebar, offered
40-1 Botree offered.—Reuter.

# Well-known Australian Retires From Turf

London, Sept. 13.

Mr. Alan Cooper, one of the most picturesque figures on the Australian turf, has announced his decision to retire from racehorse ownership for an indefinite period.

The reason is thought to be the ill-luck which dogged him on his recent trip to Brisbane for the Amateur Turf Club's Doomden Cup meeting.

His horses failed to run up to expectations at the meeting and Mala, which started favourite for the Doomden Cup fell after passing the winning post and died later from his injuries. After the meeting Mr. Cooper announced that he would sell his horses now in training and retire from racing.—Reuter.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# East Midlands or Warwickshire?

### Rugby Union Matches Show Midland Strength; League Cupholders Lose

Results of Rugby matches received in Shanghai yesterday reveal that Midland strength provided by three teams—Northampton, Coventry, and Bedford—probably will have a direct bearing on County Championship matches to be played later in the season.

In the North, Rugby League results contained little in the way of surprises, all the major teams gaining victories with the exception of Salford, last year's cup winners, who lost to Broughton Rangers, and Rochdale Hornets, who were defeated by Halifax. Keighley gained a fine away win at the expense of Featherstone Rovers, a poor team, while Halifax are to be congratulated on their 35-15 win over the strong Rochdale Hornets combination. The match, however, was played at Thrum Hall and Halifax are always hard to beat on their own pitch. Leeds, Barrow, Huddersfield, who defeated Batley on the Leeds ground, Oldham and Warrington all secured wins.

Turning again to the Rugby Union results and the County Championship, it appears that the East Midlands, which is composed mainly of Northampton and Bedford players, and Warwickshire, in which side were included last season, eleven Coventry men, including Jimmy Giles, their England scrum-half, and players from the nearby Rugby Club XV, should constitute a serious menace to Lancashire, present champions.

**Both In Same Group**

It is a great pity, however, that both teams play in the same group as one of them must be knocked out of the competition. One of these two teams will be successful in the group, however, and no matter which it is, the opposition against Lancashire will be strong.

The East Midlands are fancied to carry off the Midland honours this season, as Warwickshire do not appear to be as strong as they were in the days of the captaincy of P.E. ("Pop") Dunkley, although their forward line is considered to be the best in England.

Coventry defeated Bridgend at Coventry by 9 points to 5, Northampton overcame the Metropolitan Police at Franklin's Gardens, scoring 18 points without reply, and Bedford walloped Leicester, at the Welford Road ground too, to the tune of 18-0.

**Cardiff Still Strong**

Other results show that Cardiff is still as strong as ever, the seaport team defeating Abertillery by 39 points to 3. Neath, another of the strongest sides in the British Isles, won fairly easily against Resolven, practically unknown, while Weston-super-Mare surprised Cross Keys.

The only unexpected result was Leicester's defeat at the hands of Bedford. The "Tigers" last season were perhaps, the best team in the Midlands, and although Bedford are also among the topnotchers, no one expected them to carry away the honours from their visit to Leicester.—R.S.

# China's Sorrow Could Become China's Joy

### Mr. Matsuoka Would Apply U.S. Conservancy Methods

Peiping, Sept. 13.

American methods of conservancy applied to the Yellow River would convert that waterway into "China's joy," Mr. Yosuke Matsuoka, loquacious Oregon-trained Japanese president of the South Manchuria Railway declared here yesterday. Mr. Matsuoka is now on his way to Kalgan.

"I have been inspired in this by the magnificent example of the Mississippi," he told avid newspapermen here. "Apply the American example to China's sorrow and we'll have China's joy."

Mr. Matsuoka disclosed that he already had South Manchuria Railway engineers mapping out a conservancy plan with an initial expenditure of Y.200,000,000.

"I would like to have my friend, President Roosevelt, to loan me some experts in the Mississippi project to hasten conservancy work on the Yellow River," he declared smiling. Mr. Matsuoka became acquainted with Mr. Roosevelt in Washington during the World War days when the American chief executive was assistant secretary of the Navy and Mr. Matsuoka a Japanese Embassy secretary.—Domei.

## New Mayor of Nanking

Mr. Kao Kuan-wu yesterday was appointed Mayor of Nanking by the "Reformed Government" in succession to Mr. Jen Yuan-tao who resigned recently because he was too busy as Minister of Public Security to serve in both offices.

Mr. Kao, who is in Shanghai now, will proceed to Nanking about September 20 to assume office. He is concurrently Vice-Minister of Public Security.

Born at Tsungming 47 years ago, Mr. Kao is a graduate of the Paotingfu Military Academy. He was formerly a high adviser to the East Hopei Autonomous Administration.

## House in Penang Road Robbed by Gang

A gang of four Chinese robbers entered a Chinese house, 741 Penang Road, shortly before 8.30 o'clock last night and stole a quantity of money and jewellery. They escaped.

The exact value of the loot could not be determined last night. Detectives from the Gordon Road Station are investigating the crime. It was reported to the Police that two of the robbers carried pistols.

## Chinese General Dies In Hankow

Hankow, Sept. 13.

General Chen Teh-hsun, Brigade Commander, died yesterday afternoon in the International Hospital here of wounds received in the fighting west of Kwangsi on September 6.

A bullet penetrated his lung and his spine.—Reuter.

# Spanish War Continues Without Much Change

### Both Sides Claim Major Gains on Ebro Front

Hendaye, Sept. 12.

Republican forces crushed repeated enemy attacks in the Sierra de Gaeta and Villaver Valley all day yesterday, Barcelona reported today. Enormous casualties were inflicted on the Nationalist attackers who were principally composed of Moroccans, the Republicans claimed. A thousand shells and bombs showered the Republican positions before the Moors attacked. Six attacks were launched in the Villaver Valley and two in the Sierra de Gaeta. Each attack was covered by large detachments of tanks. The Republicans claimed that none of the attacks was successful.

After decimating the attackers, the Republicans counter-attacked the Moors with grenades, the Republicans said. The Moors retreated in disorder, abandoning a large number of dead and wounded on "no man's land," the Republicans asserted.

Nationalist high command radio messages to line commanders were intercepted and they helped the Republicans in planning their defence, the Republican headquarters announced.

The Nationalists, however, presented an entirely different version of the fighting. They reported the Republicans launched a powerful attack in the Villaver Valley but Nationalist artillery disorganized the onslaught with intense barrages, forcing the Republicans to retreat after suffering heavy losses.

The Nationalists then counter-attacked, rectifying their positions, the Nationalists said.

It was quiet on all other fronts.

Burgos announced that it was immediately calling up the class of 1928.—United Press.

# Echo of 1914 Recalled In Paris Journal

### Men in Maginot Line Need Special Consideration

Paris, Sept. 22.

A note reminiscent of the Great War was struck here today by the newspaper "L'Intransigeant" when it published an appeal for complete support of the French soldiers now manning the powerful Maginot Line along the Rhineland front.

"All along the Maginot Line," the paper said, "our men are living in blockhouses and concrete emplacements. They are waiting at their posts, greasing their arms and watching the Rhine. They are confident and ready for anything.

"For these men friendly football games and movie shows are finished. This should apply also to village and city dwellers behind the lines. This is not a moment for amusement. The men on leave are back at their posts and the reservists have been called out to swell our defensive forces. The hour is grave.

"Tomorrow—perhaps—these men will need tobacco and cigarettes. There are not enough canteens because the clientele has suddenly increased."

The paper appealed to those behind the lines to be prepared to sacrifice heavily for those at the front.

The paper added that those writing to the men at the front had better enclose stamps for their replies because the regiment stores were running out of stamps as well as tobacco.—United Press.

## Queen Mary Leaves Scotland

London, Sept. 13.

On the conclusion of her holiday in Scotland, Queen Mary left Edinburgh this morning for Harewood House in Yorkshire, where she will be the guest of the Princess Royal and the Earl of Harewood.—Wireless through Reuter.

## Lord Stanley to Sail For Europe

London, Sept. 13.

A Winnipeg message states that the condition of Lord Stanley, Secretary of the Dominion, continues to show improvement and that he hopes to sail for England from Montreal on September 24.—Wireless through Reuter.

## Prince Arthur to Have Military Funeral

London, Sept. 13.

Prince Arthur of Connaught is to be accorded a military funeral, to take place at St. George's, Windsor, at 11.30 a.m. on Friday.—Reuter.

A NEW overland route is open to travellers from Hongkong to Hankow, according to information obtained from The China Travel Service, says a report to the "Ta Wan Pao." The new route will take the traveller from Hongkong by boat up the Pearl River to Wuchow. From Wuchow the journey will continue by the South-west long distance 'buses to Changsha, passing through Kweilin, and Hengyang. The last lap of the journey is from Changsha to the Wuhan cities, the report concludes.

**Japanese Troops Ensure Water Supplies**

*A pumping station near Kiukiang erected by the Japanese troops to furnish fresh water for the army. Many of the wells were contaminated by Chinese war dead.*

# Harbour Commission in Chefoo Taken Over

### Japanese Navy Now Holds Complete Control

Peiping, Sept. 13.

The Japanese naval authorities on Monday took over the authority of the Chefoo Harbour Commission, internationally appointed official body responsible for harbour control and development.

This action followed a decision by the Japanese authorities that the Commission, composed of a majority of Japanese nominees, be self-dissolved.

This move ends the freedom of the only open port in North China, with the exception of Chinwangtao.

A public statement by the postal authorities today declares that the "Peking and Tientsin Times" has been suspended in transmission through the mails. No reason is given for the ban.

No reply has yet been received from the Japanese authorities following the British protests.—Reuter.

# Canada Trade Unionists Urge Boycott

### Embargo Asked on Shipments Of Arms to Aggressors

Niagara Falls, Sept. 13.

A Convention of the Trades and Labour Congress of Canada yesterday passed a resolution calling upon the trade unionists of the Dominion to "Take the lead in organizing the Canadian people in an intensified boycott of all goods from aggressor nations such as Japan, Italy and Germany"

The Congress also called for an embargo to be placed on shipments of arms to aggressor nations.—Reuter.

## *OBITUARIES*

**Gen. Clinton Riggs**

Baltimore, Sept. 12.

Gen. Clinton Levering Riggs, former U.S. High Commissioner for the Philippines, died here today of a heart attack. He was 72 years of age.—United Press.

**M. Jean Longuet**

Paris, Sept. 12.

M. Jean Longuet, former Deputy and prominent member of the Social Party, died here from injuries sustained in a motoring accident at the age of 62. He was the grand-son of Karl Marx, and one of the best friends of M. Leon Blum, leader of the Socialist Party. He was a specialist in foreign and colonial questions, and at the time of his death he was vice-president of the Foreign Affairs Committee of the Chamber of Deputies.—Havas.

THE Egyptian War Minister, Hassan Sabry Pasha, arrived in London on Monday ostensibly on an unofficial visit. However, he was welcomed by the Secretary of War, Mr. Leslie Hore-Belisha, and representatives of the Admiralty and Air Force.

# India Defences to Be Strengthened

### Annual Grant Increase By £500,000; Experts Will Investigate

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, Sept. 13.

The need for early action to place the defence organization of India on a more satisfactory basis was accepted in a communique issued yesterday, covering the recent inter-Departmental talks between the India Office, the War Office and the Treasury.

While an agreement on all matters has not been reached, progress has been made.

An offer has been made by the British Government to increase by £500,000 sterling from April 1 next the annual grant of £1,500,000 sterling, paid to the Indian Government to supplement its defence expenditure.

In addition, the British Government propose to offer a capital grant of upwards of £5,000,000 sterling for the equipment of certain British and Indian units.

The Government has also provided aircraft for the re-equipment of certain squadrons in the Royal Air Force.

Further, four British battalions have been transferred from the Indian to the Imperial Establishment.

Finally, an expert body is to proceed to India at the earliest possible moment to investigate the military and financial aspects of the problem on the spot.—Reuter.

# Philippines Fate to Be Decided in Maryland

### Return of Senator Tydings May Ease White House Hold

Washington, Sept. 12.

While officials began counting votes in the Maryland Democratic primary today, forecasts heavily favoured Senator Millard Tydings with re-election with probably the fate of the Philippines in the balance. The election outcome will strongly influence legislation on Philippines problems in the next session of Congress.

Officials believed that a victory by Senator Tydings would be a strong setback for President Roosevelt, not only as regards his "purge" of anti-New Dealers but would also weaken White House control in the next Congress. Hence, such a re-election would reduce President Roosevelt's influence in steering the Administration's Philippines programme and the recommendations of the Joint Committee on Philippine Affairs past the attacks of the commodity blocs.—United Press.

## Japanese Emperor's Condolences

Tokyo, Sept. 13.

Emperor Hirohito today cabled to King George VI expressing his condolences at the death of Prince Arthur of Connaught.—Reuter.

# Common Origins of German and Jew

### Fallacy of Race Prejudice Proved by Professor G. Taylor in a Lecture

The submission that race prejudice is but another name for ethnological ignorance was made by Professor Griffith Taylor, Professor of Geography in the University of Toronto, in his presidential address on "Correlations and culture: a study in technique," given before the Geography Section of the British Association last month. Professor Taylor was the senior geologist in Scott's last expedition in 1910.

Professor Taylor, after commenting on evolution in the relation of education to three divisions of knowledge—physical sciences, biological sciences, and the Humanities—said that today the social sciences were challenged by the forces of reaction. As an instance he mentioned the perverted use of anthropology and sociology to advance the views of some of the totalitarian nations. Geographers, he suggested, could do yeoman service to clarify some of these issues if they taught tolerantly and scientifically what was becoming known as cultural geography.

Referring to his 20 years' work on the "Migration-Zone" theory of racial evolution and classification, Professor Taylor said that this demonstrated that all the progressive nations of the world were built up of the same three stocks—Alpine, Nordic, and Mediterranean. When this thesis was accepted much of the evil structure based on "race-prejudice" must fall to the ground.

In his opinion race prejudice was but another name for ethnological ignorance. This was a very encouraging idea, for cultural differences of languages, education, and religion could be entirely changed in a generation, whereas a real racial barrier was much more difficult to overcome. One of the main results of a knowledge of cultural geography was a much clearer conception of the distinctions between race, nation, language, and religion than most educated people possessed. It could be well illustrated in connection with the spread of the Jewish people. Moreover this study clearly defined the danger resulting from powerful political groups dabbling in sciences of which they were ignorant.

**New Term Needed**

"We are surely all agreed," he added, "that the term Aryan can only be applied to speech; and that Nordic indicates a 'breed' and can only be applied to race. But few folk realize that the term 'Jew' should only be used in connection with religion. We need a new term to express a group linked by purely cultural characters such as language or religion. For such groups I have been extending the use of the word 'cult.' For instance, in Canada we have in reality no French race, since Frenchmen may belong to one of three distinct races, but only a French cult, linked by common language and religion. So also we should learn to speak of a Jewish cult since this large group is linked closely by religion and to a lesser degree by language. The Jews, like the Germans, are of two different races. If they come from Poland they belong to the Alpine race; if from Spain they are of Mediterranean race, like all the original Jews of Palestine."

The logical linguistic divisions in Europe Professor Taylor showed with the aid of diagrams, were undoubtedly Aryan and Altaic. The race divisions were Nordic, Alpine, and Mediterranean. The German nation, he said, was half Nordic and half Alpine. The Jew belonged to a "cult," but the dominant Jews in Europe, including about three-quarters of the whole body, were broad-headed Alpines like the rest of the mid-European peoples.

The most logical explanation was that the Polish Jews were the result of the widespread conversions carried on by the Jews in Eastern Europe. A year or two ago the German authorities were specifically excluding the German Jews as of "non-Aryan" race. Racially, of course, they were Alpines like the South Germans, and their language was best called Judeo-German.

Later in his address Professor Taylor said he believed that Hamitic speech, akin to the language of the Pharaohs, was spoken in most parts of Britain while the Greeks were learning Homer. The Berbers, Tuaregs, and other still more marginal folk of North Africa were of the same race and still preserved their old speech without change. It was to be hoped that Berber would not be made compulsory for the unfortunate youngsters in the Irish Free State as the result of this address.

For the training of the educated man today, if they omitted the specialized knowledge he needed for his profession, three things seemed to be vital. These were biology, which dealt with the evolution of man as an animal; history, which dealt largely with the growth of his ideals and institutions; and geography, which dealt with his present, often varying, environment.

He would like to see Wells's "Outline of History," or some similar generalized study of cultural evolution, made compulsory for all high schools. The aim of civilization, as he saw it, was not to prepare for a better world beyond this earth, but to prepare a better world on this earth. Our immediate objective should be a world of peace. This could only be attained by studying world problems, especially those involving other nations and cultures.

## Sailor "Tours" His Own Ship

An able seaman on shore leave from Portsmouth and staying at Eastleigh, Hampshire, was attracted by a sign "Mystery Tour" outside a coach station recently. He purchased a ticket. Soon after the coach started he went to sleep. When it stopped he awoke, and found himself outside Portsmouth Dockyard. He was expected to join a crowd of sightseers on a tour of the cruiser from which he had been granted leave—and he did.

## Japanese Bombers Fly Over Swatow

Swatow, Sept. 13.

For the first occasion in seven weeks, nine Japanese bombers passed over here at 7.3 o'clock this morning. No bombs were dropped.—Reuter.

COMMENCING from September 10, imports and exports to and from the Chekiang ports, subject to restrictions on articles of goods which are deemed vital to the prosecution of war, shall be undertaken only after military permits have been obtained for the purpose, says a report to the "Sin Wan Pao." Contravention of the regulations shall make the cargo liable to confiscation and the payment of a fine, the report states.

## Prince Birabongse Exonerated

London, Sept. 13.

Prince Birabongse was exonerated from blame at the Morpeth inquest on the body of a motor-cyclist who collided with the Prince's car on the night of September 4. The Prince is a Siamese racing motorist.—Reuter.

THE flood waters of the Yellow River have submerged 15 districts in Honan province, with an aggregate area of 25,909 square li (about three li to a mile), causing material and property damage amounting to about $629,610,000 and affecting a population of 1,227,300. Some 370,000 of the population were compelled to migrate to safer zones, says a report to the "Sin Wan Pao"

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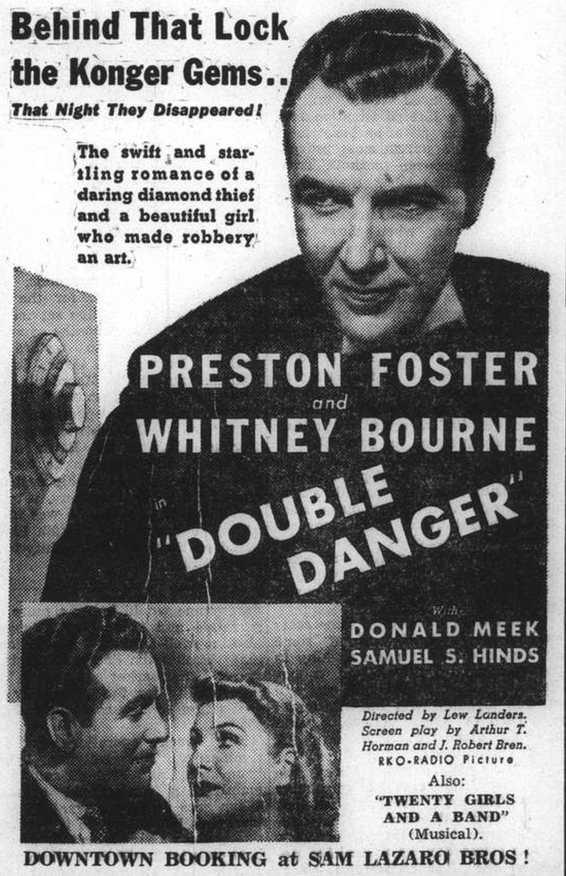

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# COMMERCE AND FINANCE

## Money and Exchange

**Hongkong & Shanghai Bank**

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 1938

BANK'S SELLING RATES 10 A.M

| | |
|---|---|
| £1 @ 8 7/16 | $ 28.44 |
| U.S. $100 @ 16⅞ | $592.59 |

BANK'S BUYING RATES 10 A.M.

| | |
|---|---|
| £1 @ 8⅝ | $27.826 |
| U.S. $100 @ 17 5/16 | $577.61 |
| London—demand | 8⅝ |
| 4 months' sight credits | 8 11/16 |
| 4 months' sight docts | 8¾ |
| 6 months' sight credits | 8 23/32 |
| 6 months' sight docts | 8 25/32 |
| New York—demand | U.S. $17 5/16 |
| 4 months' sight credits | 17⅜ |
| 4 months' sight docts | 17½ |
| Paris—4 months' sight docts | Fcs. nom. |

INTERBANK CLOSING SELLING RATES

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Sterling | 8 39/64 | U.S. | $17¼ |
| Hongkong/London | | | 1/2 21/32 |

**Chartered Bank**

Canadian $100 @ 16⅞=$592.59

**Netherlands Trading Society**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Netherland Guilders | Buying | 32⅛ |
| Java Guilders | " | 32⅛ |
| Netherlands Guilders | Selling | 31⅜ |
| Java Guilders | " | 31⅜ |

**American Express Co., Inc.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Buying | U.S.$100=$581.818 | £1=$28.029 |
| Selling | U.S.$100=$590.406 | £1=$28.445 |

**Italian Bank For China**

It. Lire 3.15=$1 Swiss Frs. 0.76=$1
Tourist Lire 3.48 =$1

**Banque Belge Pour L'Etranger**

Belgas 1.01¼=$1 Belgas 28.45=£1

**Other Quotations**

Berlin-Hamburg T.T. $100=Rm. 42½
$100=Reg. Mk. 94.00

## Local Exchange Report

*Messrs. Drakeford, Davis & Wilson*

INTER BANK CASH DELIVERY

| | Highest | Lowest |
|---|---|---|
| £ | 8⅝ | 8 9/16 |
| U.S. G.$ | 17¼ | 17⅛ |
| Yen | — | — |

MERCHANTS CLOSING RATES

| SELLING Cash | | BUYING September | |
|---|---|---|---|
| £ T.T. | 8 19/32 | 4 m/s. l.c. | 8 11/16 |
| G.$ T.T. | 17 3/16 | 4 m/s. l.c. | 17 7/16 |
| Fcs. T.T. | 638 | 4 m/s. | 658 |
| Rs. T.T. | 48 | 7 d/s. | 48½ |

BAR SILVER

| | READY | FOR'D |
|---|---|---|
| London pence per std. oz. | 19 7/16 | 19 5/16 |
| N.Y. cents per oz. troy | 42¾ | — |
| Bombay Rs. per 100 tolas | 50.14 | — |
| Bombay offtake 50 bars. | | |

London silver was 1/16 up for ready and ⅛ up forward, being 19 7/16 for ready and 19 5/16 forward. New York was unchanged at 42¾ and Bombay was 3 annas up at 50.14.

It was reported India and the American trade bought. Sellers received. After the official fixing the market was quiet but steady on the reserve of sellers.

The local exchange market opened with sellers to merchants at 8 17/32 sterling and 17 1/16 U.S.$.

The Inter-bank market opened steady with sellers for cash at 8 17/32 sterling and 17 1/16 U.S.$. During the morning a wave of selling orders came on the market and the tone was very firm, rates advancing both for cash and forward deliveries. In the afternoon the market was quiet but steady with no change on the morning peak rates.

At the close there were sellers at:—

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 8 19/32 sterling | 17¼ U.S.$ | Cash |
| 8 21/32 " | 17 9/32 " | Sept. |
| 8 19/32 " | 16 13/16 " | Oct. |

## Foreign Exchanges

**Bombay Rupee T. T. on:** Sept. 12.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Japan | 78¾ | London | 1/5 63/64 |
| New York | 279½ | 2 mths | |
| Shanghai | 50 | " (sellers) | 1/5 57/64 |
| Hongkong | 85½ | " (buyers) | 1/5 63/64 |

**London £ Sterling T. T. on:**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 481.06 | Shanghai | 8¾ |
| Paris | 178.28 | Bombay | 1/5 63/64 |
| Berlin | 12.00 | Hongkong | 1/3 5/32 |
| Amsterdam | 8.92 | Singapore | 2/3 31/32 |
| Brussels | 28.57 | Yokohama | 1/2 |
| Madrid | 100.00 | " (buying) | unq. |
| Milan | 91.40 | C'slovakia | 139.43 |
| Berne | 21.30½ | | |

**New York U.S.$ T. T. on:**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Berlin | 40.05 | Japan | 28.07 |
| Spain | Unq. | Shanghai | 17.25 |
| Holland | 53.88½ | Austria | Unq. |
| Paris | 2.69½ | C'slovakia | 3.44⅞ |
| Brussels | 16.83 | Hungary | 19.80 |
| Italy | 5.26¼ | Rumania | 0.74½ |
| S'zerland | 22.57½ | Yugo Slavia | 2.32 |
| Sweden | 24.78 | Greece | 0.88¼ |
| Norway | 24.15½ | Bulgaria | 1.25 |
| Denmark | 21.45 | Finland | 2.13 |
| Montreal | 99.470 | Poland | 18.87 |
| Brazil | 5.90 | | |

| | |
|---|---|
| London | 4.80 7/16 |
| " Demand | 4.80½ |
| " Bankers' 60 days bills | 4.80 3/32 |
| " Commercial 60 days bills | 4.80 3/32 |
| Buenos Aires Paper | 29.80 |
| Buenos Aires Paper, Market rate | 25.25 |
| Montreal on London | 4.83⅛ |

—Reuter.

## Foreign Money Rates

**London:** Sept. 12.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Fine Bank Bills, | 3 month | 0 23/32% |
| Bank Bills, | 6 months | 0⅞% |
| Fine Trade Bills, | 3 months | 2¼% |
| Fine Trade Bills, | 6 months | 2¾% |
| Call money | | 0½% |

**New York:**

| | |
|---|---|
| Bankers' Acceptances for 1, 2 and 3 months | 0½%B / 0 7/16%A |
| Bankers' Acceptances for 4 months | 0 9/16%B / 0½%A |
| Call money | 1% |

B—Bid A—Asked.—Reuter.

## Manila Gold Shares

(Closing Bids in Pesos)

| | Sept. 12 | Sept. 13 |
|---|---|---|
| Antamok | .38 | .40 |
| Atok | .38 | .39 |
| Benguet Consolidated | 11.70 | 11.90 |
| Coco Grove | .42 | .42 |
| Consolidated Mines | .0035 | .0035 |
| Demonstration | .28* | .29 |
| Mine Operations | .13 | .13 |
| San Mauricio | .67 | .73 |
| Suyoc | .19 | .19 |
| United Paracale | .34 | .35 |

Turnover: 295,000 Pesos.
Shares Index: (closing prices) 88.04.
—Reuter.

## Japanese Govt. Bonds

Osaka, Sept. 13.

Kogo 5% .................... Y.103.45
—Reuter

## Silver Quotations

London, Sept. 13.

Silver prices advanced today, the quotations being:—

| | Sept. 12 | Sept. 13 |
|---|---|---|
| London spot | 19 7/16d. | 19 9/16d. |
| " forward | 19 5/16d. | 19⅜d. |
| London/New York: | | |
| One pound | U.S.$4.80½ | $4.80⅝ |
| One U.S. dollar | 49.948d. | 49.961d. |
| Gold | 144/7½d. | 144/7d. |

—Reuter.

## Shanghai Stocks

### Yesterday's Business

Little business could be expected today on the market pending further developments in the European political situation. There is, however, a little "Patch of blue" in the sky as the result of the Rubber Restriction Committee's decision to maintain until the end of the year, the present quota of 45 per cent. Raw rubber markets immediately reacted to this decision and the firmness of the raw commodity will have its natural reaction on the price of local rubber shares as soon as ever the European horizon clears.

**Official Averages**

| 1938 High | Low | | Today's Average | Change |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 143.08 | 103.44 | General | 132.19 | —0.18 |
| 139.71 | 95.55 | Rubbers | 138.00 | unch. |

Volume 11,353 shares, 200 Bonds.

**Morning Session**

OFFICIAL

| | CASH |
|---|---|
| 12/9/38 | |
| 100 Auto Palace | $ 6.00 |
| 13/9/38 | |
| 30 S'hai Power (Pref) | $122.00 |
| 1,000 Ewo Mills (Ord) | $ 19.30 |
| 66 Ewo Mills (Ord) | $ 19.00 |
| 184 C. G. Omnibus | $ 19.25 |
| 500 New Eng. (Ord) | $ 4.30 |
| 120 Ewo Mills (Ord) | $ 19.20 |
| 2 S'hai Power (Pref) | $122.00 |
| 200 Wheelock | $ 21.50 |
| 20 S'hai Power (Pref) | $122.00 |
| 25 S'hai Telephone | $ 57.50 |
| 2,000 Cheng | $ 0.40 |
| 300 Ewo Mills (Ord) | $ 19.30 |
| 4 S'hai Power (Pref) | $122.00 |
| 11.20 AUCTION | |
| 400 Tram (Bearer) £1 | $ 36.00 |
| FROM 11.20 AUCTION TILL CLOSING | |
| 2,000 Cheng | $ 0.40 |
| 100 Ewo Mills (Ord) | $ 19.30 |
| UNOFFICIAL | |
| 500 Ewo Mills (Ord) | $ 19.30 |
| ₮20,000 S. M. C. 6% Debs. 1926 | ₮ 96.00 |
| 100 Wheelock | $ 21.75 |
| 500 Ewo Mills (Ord) | $ 19.20 |

**Afternoon Session**

OFFICIAL

| | |
|---|---|
| 100 Kaiping | $ 23.00 |
| 100 Tram (Bearer) £1 | $ 36.00 |
| 500 Ewo Mills (Ord) | $ 19.10 |
| 2 S'hai Power (Pref) | $122.00 |
| 300 Ewo Mills (Ord) | $ 19.10 |
| 200 Ewo Mills (Ord) | $ 19.00 |
| 200 Ewo Mills (Ord) | $ 19.00 |
| 1,000 Ewo Mills (Ord) | $ 19.00 |
| UNOFFICIAL | |
| 100 Kaiping | $ 23.00 |
| 300 Ewo Mills (Ord) | $ 19.10 |
| 400 Ewo Mills (Ord) | $ 19.00 |

## London Stocks

### Monday's Closing Quotations

London, Sept. 12.

There was an early downward drift of prices, especially in British gilt-edged securities, Kaffirs and foreign bonds on Continental selling, which was later checked by the more optimistic feeling regarding the international political outlook, with Kaffirs notably making a good recovery.—Reuter.

| | Sept. 9 | 12 |
|---|---|---|
| War Loan 3½% (Red.) | £101 3/16 | 100½ |
| JAPANESE BONDS | | |
| Japan 5% Stg. Loan, 1907 | 41 | 38¾XD |
| Japan 6% Stg. Loan, 1924 | 46½ | 46½ |
| COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL | | |
| Allied Ironfounders | 20/- | 19/9 |
| Armstrong, Stevens | 6/3 | 6/3 |
| Assoc. & Elec. Indus. | 36/4½ | 36/4½ |
| Austin Motors, ord. | 24/4½ | 24/4½ |
| Bristol Aeroplane, ord. | 51/7½ | 50/10½ |
| British American Tob. | 102/6 | 102/6 |
| Cable & W., new form | 41½ | 41 |
| Cammell Laird, ord. | 7/4½ | 7/6 |
| Courtaulds | 30/9 | 31/- |
| Distillers | 94/3 | 95/- |
| Dunlop Rubber | 26/10½ | 27/3 |
| General Elec. (Eng.) | 77/3 | 77/4½ |
| Guinness (A) Son & Co. | 111/3 | 111/- |
| Hawker Siddeley Aircraft | 25/9 | 24/10½ |
| Imp. Chem. Indus. | 30/1½ | 30/4½ |
| Imp. Tobacco | 137/6 | 137/6 |
| Leyland Motors | 81/3 | 81/3 |
| Marks & Spencer "A" ord. | 55/7½ | 53/10½ |
| Pressed Steel, com. | 13/9 | 13/9 |
| Rolls-Royce | 98/9 | 97/6 |
| Smethwick Drop Forgings | 14/6 | 14/6 |
| Tate & Lyle | 76/- | 73/9 |
| Turner & Newall | 76/6 | 76/3 |
| United Steel | 22/9 | 22/7½ |
| Vickers, ord. | 19/9 | 19/9 |
| Woolworths | 62/7½ | 62/6 |
| MISCELLANEOUS | | |
| Anglo Dutch | 27/7½ | 27/6 |
| Rubber Pltn. Invest. | 28/7½ | 28/6 |
| MINES | | |
| Burma Corp. | 9/1½ | 9/3 |
| Commonwealth Min. | 2/3 | 2/3 |
| Marsman Invest. | 13/3 | 13/1½ |
| Randfontein Ests. | 36/10½ | 36/10½ |
| Sub-Nigel | 228/1½ | 225/- |
| Tanami Gold Min. | 6d. | 6d. |
| Western Holdings | 17/- | 17/10½ |
| OILS | | |
| Anglo Iranian | 101/3 | 101/3 |
| Burmah | 89/4½ | 89/4½ |
| Mexican Eagle | 3/9 | 3/9 |
| Shell Trans. & Trad. | 86/10½ | 87/6 |

XD—Ex dividend.

CHINESE EXTERNAL LOANS, ETC.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 4½% Gold Loan, 1898 | £75 | 74 |
| 5% Gold Bonds, 1925-47 | 67 | 67 |
| 4½% Anglo-French Loan | 97 | 97 |
| 5% Crisp Loan, 1912 | 48 | 47 |
| 5% Reorg. Loan, 1913 | 57 | 56 |
| 6% Stg. Notes, 1925 | 17½ | 17½ |
| 5% Honan Rly., 1905 | 30 | 30 |
| 5% Hukuang Rly., 1911 | 27 | 27 |
| 5% " " (Ger. Is.) | 25 | 25 |
| 5% Lung Tsing U. H. Rly. | 18 | 18 |
| 5% S'hai-Nanking Rly. | 25 | 24 |
| 5% T'tsin-Pukow Rly. B. | 21 | 21 |
| 5% " " G. | 20 | 20 |
| 5% " " (Supl. Loan) B. | 20 | 20 |
| 5% " " (Supl. Loan) G. | 20 | 20 |
| 5% Canton-Kowloon Rly. | 22 | 22 |
| S'hai Elec. Construction | 25/- N | 25/- N |
| S'hai Waterworks "A" | 19½ N | 19½ N |
| Un. Ins. Soc. of Canton | 30½ | 30½ |
| Charted. Bank of I. A. & C. | 12⅜ | 11⅞ |
| H. & S. Bank (Ldn. Reg.) | 87½ | 87 |
| " " (Col. Reg.) | 90 | 89 |
| Chinese Eng. & Min. | 15/9 | 15/3 |
| Chosen Corp. | 8/6 | 8/6 |
| Pekin Syndicate | 2/- N | 2/- N |
| Gula Kalumpong Rubber | 22/6 | 21/3 |

N—Nominal.

## British Commodities

### Monday's Closing Quotations

London, Sept. 12.

The London rubber market ruled firm, following the quota announcement. There was a good American inquiry.

**London Rubber:** Spot, buyers 8 1/16 +¼; sellers 8⅛ +3/16; Oct. delivery, buyers 8 1/16 +¼; sellers 8 3/16 +¼.

**London Sugar** (Buyers): Dec. 5/6¾ +1; Mar. 5/7½ +1; May 5/8¼ +1.

**Liverpool Wheat:** Oct. 4/10⅞ +⅛; Dec. 4/9 —⅜; Mar. 4/8⅜ —1.

**Liverpool Cotton:** Amer. Futures: Oct. 4.56 —3; Jan. 4.63 —4; Mar. 4.65 —5; May 4.66 —6; Egyptian Futures (Giza, F.G.F. No. 7): Sept. 6.68 —1; Oct. 6.68 —1; Nov. 6.68 —1; Jan. 6.90 —3.

**London Metals:** Copper, Standard, cash, sellers £41½ +⅜; 3 mths sellers £41 11/16 +5/16; Electrolytic, buyers £46¾ +¼; sellers £47¾ +¼; Tin, Standard, cash, sellers £192¼ +¼; 3 mths sellers £193 +¼; Lead, Foreign, official price, sellers £15 3/16 +3/16; 3 mths delivery, official price, sellers £15 7/16 +3/16; Spelter, ordinary, official price, sellers £14 +3/16; 3 mths delivery, official price, sellers £14¼ +⅜.—Reuter.

## New York Stocks

### Monday's Closing Quotations

New York, Sept. 12.

The long awaited address by Herr Hitler came in too late today to affect materially the stock market. Traders were apparently confused at how to interpret it, although it was pointed out that the potential uncertainties still remain, especially as the Reichfuehrer has not answered the most important question, to wit, whether Germany will use force against Czechoslovakia. Domestic news continued to remain favourable, while steels were bolstered by the forecast of higher steel mill operations. The turnover amounted to 600,000 shares.

Trading in the stock market at San Francisco was very quiet after the receipt of Herr Hitler's address. However, General Motors changed hands at one point higher, compared with the New York close.

**Dow-Jones Averages**

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 30 Indust. | 140.67 | 138.16 | 140.19 | +1.90 |
| 20 Rails | 26.70 | 26.25 | 26.65 | +0.02 |
| 15 Utilit. | 18.82 | 18.52 | 18.73 | +0.13 |
| 40 Bonds | —— | —— | 87.58 | —0.18 |
| 11 Commod. | —— | —— | 47.23 | —— |

| | Sept. 10 | 12 |
|---|---|---|
| Adams Express | 10¾ | 10¾ |
| Alleghany Steel Co. | 17⅝ | 18½ |
| Allis Chalmers | 48 | 48⅞ |
| Amer. Can | B 97 | 98 |
| Amer. & For. Power | 3¼ | 3⅝ |
| " " $7 pfd. | 17⅝ | B 17 |
| Amer. Locomotive | 18¾ | 19½ |
| Amer. Metal | 34 | 33¼ |
| Amer. Radiator | 15¼ | 15¾ |
| Amer. Rolling Mill | 17⅝ | 18 |
| Amer. Smelting | 45⅞ | 46⅞ |
| Amer. Sugar Refining | 22¼ | 22½ |
| Amer. Tel. & Tel. | 142⅞ | *140⅜ |
| Amer. Tobacco "B" | 85 | 85 |
| Amer. Waterworks | 9¼ | 9⅛ |
| Anaconda Copper | 32⅝ | 33⅜ |
| Atchison, T. & S. Fe. | 34¼ | 35¼ |
| Auburn | 3⅝ | B 3⅝ |
| Baltimore & Ohio | 7 | 6¾ |
| Baltimore & Ohio, $4 pfd. | 8⅛ | 8¼ |
| Barber Asphalt Corp | 19¼ | 19¾ |
| Barnsdall Oil Co. | 17⅛ | 17⅛ |
| Bethlehem Steel | 56⅞ | 58⅜ |
| Boeing Airplane Co. | 23 | 23¾ |
| Borg Warner | 32½ | 34¼ |
| Briggs Mfg. Co. | 34½ | 35¼ |
| Brooklyn-Manhattan Trans. | B 9⅜ | 9¼ |
| " $6 cum. pfd. | B 27 | 28 |
| Can. Pacific Rly. | 6 | 6 |
| Case, J.I. | 85½ | B 85¼ |
| Chase Nat. Bank | 29⅝ | B 29¾ |
| Chesapeake & Ohio | 28¾ | 29⅛ |
| Chrysler | 72¼ | 73¾ |
| Columbia Gas & Elec. | 6⅜ | 6¼ |
| " " "A" | 67 | 68¾ |
| Coml. Credit | 47 | 48¼ |
| Comm. & Southern (ord.) | 1⅛ | 1⅛ |
| " $6 cum. pfd. | B 36¼ | 35¾ |
| Consolid. Edison | 25½ | 25½ |
| Consolid. Oil | 8⅞ | 8¾ |
| Continental Can | 39 | 39⅛ |
| Continental Oil | 28½ | 28¾ |
| Corn Products | 68½ | 68⅞ |
| Curtiss Wright (com.) | 4⅞ | 4⅞ |
| " " "A" | 21¼ | 21⅛ |
| Distillers Corp. | 15½ | 15½ |
| Douglas Aircraft | 45⅜ | 45¾ |
| Du Pont de Nemours | 129½ | 132¾ |
| Eagle Picher Lead | 10¼ | 10⅛ |
| Elec. Bond & Sh. | 6⅞ | 6⅞ |
| " " $5 pfd. | B 45½ | B 45½ |
| " " $6 pfd. | 52½ | 52½ |
| Elec. Power & Lt. | B 33 | B 33 |
| Flintkote | 23⅞ | 23⅜ |
| Gen. Amer. Trans. | 48¼ | 48 |
| Gen. Elec. | 40½ | 41⅝ |
| Gen. Motors | 46⅛ | 47⅜ |
| Gen. Rly Signal | 19⅜ | 20 |
| Glidden Co. | B 21¾ | 21⅞ |
| Goodrich (B.F.) | 22¾ | 23⅜ |
| " $5 pfd. | 55 | 57¾ |
| Goodyear Tire & R. | 27½ | 28¼ |
| Great Nthrn. Iron Ore | 12 | 11⅜ |
| Great Nthrn. Rly. | 19¾ | 21 |
| Great Western Sugar | B 27¼ | *27½ |
| Greyhound Corp. | 15¾ | 16¼ |
| Hecker Prods. | 7⅞ | 7⅝ |
| Int. Nickel | 48¼ | 48¾ |
| Int. Tel. & Tel. | B 8 | 8 |
| Kennecott | 39 | 40⅛ |
| Libby-Owens-Ford | 50½ | 51¾ |
| Lockheed Aircraft | 13⅛ | 13½ |
| Loew's Inc. | 48¾ | 50 |
| Macy, R.H. | 45½ | 46⅝ |
| Manhattan Shirt Co. | 13 | 12¼ |
| Martin, Glenn L. Co. | 21 | 21½ |
| McKesson & Rob. | 34 | B 33⅝ |
| Monsanto Chemical | 95½ | 97 |
| Montgomery Ward | 46¼ | 47⅝ |
| Nat. City Bank | B 23 | B 23 |
| Nat. Dairy Prods. | 12¾ | 12¾ |
| Nat. Distillers | 25⅝ | 25 |
| Nat. Power & Lt. | 6½ | 6⅜ |
| Nat. Supply Co. | 17 | 16⅝ |
| New York Central | 17½ | 18 |
| North Amer. Aviation | 8¾ | 8¾ |
| North Amer. | 18⅞ | 19¼ |
| Northern Pacific | 11 | 11¼ |
| Pacific Gas & Elec. | 25½ | 25½ |
| Pacific Lighting | B 36¾ | 37½ |
| Packard Motors | 4⅞ | 4⅞ |
| Paramount Pictures Inc. | 10½ | 10⅛ |
| Pennsylvania R.R. | 18⅞ | 19¼ |
| Phillips Petroleum | 39¼ | 39⅛ |
| Public Serv. | 28¾ | 28¼ |
| Pure Oil | 10⅛ | 10⅛ |
| Radio Corp. of Amer. | 7⅛ | 7⅛ |
| Republic Steel Co. | 17⅝ | 17⅞ |
| Reynolds Tobacco "B" | 40⅜ | 40¼ |
| Schenley | 17¼ | 17½ |
| " 5½% pfd. | B 73½ | B 73 |
| Sears Roebuck | 69½ | 69½ |
| Shell Union Oil | 14¾ | 15⅜ |
| Socony-Vacuum | 13 | 13⅛ |
| Sthrn. Pacific | 17⅛ | 17½ |
| Sthrn. Rly. | 17⅜ | 17½ |
| Stand. Brands | 7¼ | 7⅛ |
| Stand. Gas & Elec. | 3⅜ | 3⅜ |
| Stand. Oil of N.J. | 51¾ | 52¾ |
| Stone & Webster | 9¼ | 9⅜ |
| Swift International | 26¼ | B 26½ |
| Technicolor | 19¼ | 19¾ |
| Texas Gulf Sulphur | 35¼ | 36½ |
| Tw. Century Fox | 25⅜ | 25⅛ |
| " " pfd. | 33⅛ | B 33 |
| Un. Carbide & Carbon | 81⅜ | 83⅝ |
| Un. Pacific | 87½ | 88 |
| Un. Aircraft (new) | 26 | 25⅞ |
| Un. Airline Trans. | 9⅛ | 9⅛ |
| Un. Corp. | 2½ | 2½ |
| " $3 pfd. | 30¼ | 30¼ |
| Un. Gas Corp. | 3¼ | 3¼ |
| Un. Gas Improvement | 9⅞ | 9⅜ |
| U. S. Rubber | 44¾ | 46½ |
| " 8% pfd. | 86¼ | 86¾ |
| U. S. Steel | 57¼ | 59 |
| Vanadium | 18¼ | 18½ |
| Warner Bros. Picts. | 6⅛ | 6¼ |
| Westinghouse Elec. | 99½ | 102½ |
| Woodward Iron | 18½ | B 18¾ |
| BONDS | | |
| Amer. & For. Power | 48¾ | 49¾ |
| Brazil | 12 | 11½ |
| Cities Ser. | 61 | 59½ |
| Int. Tel. & Tel. 4½s | 100¼ | 100 |
| Int. Tel. & Tel. 5s | 65¾ | 66 |
| New England Gas | B 52¾ | 52¾ |
| Peru 6s 1961 | 8⅞ | 8⅝ |
| Stand. Gas & Elec. | 50 | 48¼ |

E—Bid *—Ex Dividend.—Reuter.

**Dow-Jones Summary**

*By Courtesy of Swan, Culbertson & Fritz*

Prices in all sections on the Stock Exchange advanced today on the belief that the foreign situation may improve. This advance here is a contrast to the nervousness prevailing in the European markets. Trading almost halted when Herr Hitler began his speech, with operators awaiting definite indications of a policy. However, when these were not forthcoming, the market advanced on short covering, but caution was the dominating factor. Domestic news continued to be favourable, with steel operations touching a new high.

*By courtesy of S. E. Levy & Co.*

Under the tension of the European situation, the market held fairly steady. The outstanding dullness which prevailed appeared to indicate an unwillingness on the part of stockholders to take fright.

If the market has been pre-occupied solely with domestic considerations, little progress has been made since June, while business has recovered substantially. Whether the market has outstripped earnings' recovery can be better answered when a closer line-up of the fourth quarter estimates are available.

June and July profits in some cases explain the upward rush of some equities, and this is more striking in the residential building and rubber trades. This, combined with cost and control, together with the substantial expansion in sales volume, would have an electrifying effect on 1937 profit comparisons.

There is little doubt about the genuineness of the revival of consumers goods. The next question, whether heavy goods will eventually participate, is much dependent on sentiment. In this connection, an unqualified defeat of the Administration's purge programme would imply a more conservative and independent Congress; also, a well-founded impression is that Washington does not desire to unsettle the market and that it is an impossibility for the Monopoly Investigation to be concluded before 1939.

This week's operations had little significance. The rallying impetus from shorts and Friday's selling was mainly of a professional character. When free from the war scare, the market is likely soon to indicate how strong the recent absorption was, and how eagerly it will be to discount the fourth quarter's prospects.

## U.S. Commodities

### Monday's Closing Quotations

New York, Sept. 12.

Trading was moderately active in the cotton market, though most operators kept to the side lines, awaiting definite developments in the European political situation. Prices early advanced on trade and Bombay buying, but later gains were partially shaved on hedge-selling. Finally, the market rallied on better Wall Street advices and spot houses buying to close steady, with quotations ranging from 3 to 7 points up from Saturday.

The release of the rubber quota for the final quarter by the International Rubber Regulation Committee at 45 per cent., showing no change from the previous quarter, bolstered sentiment in the rubber market. Buying orders began to flow in, while recent sellers rebought. The firmness of the market was enchanced, when sellers adopted a very markedly reserved attitude and turned down most offers. The undertone was very strong, while operators were of the opinion that the movement of stock in the near future would make itself felt. At the last call over, gains from 67 to 71 points were recorded.

Lower Liverpool cables influenced an easier opening in the Chicago Wheat Pit, while reports of favourable rains being received in the Southwest brought some liquidation. At the final bell, losses from ¼ to ⅜ of a cent were registered.

| New York Cotton | | | New York Rubber | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Dec. | 16.63-65 | +69 | Jan. | 7.94-96 | +04 |
| Jan. | 16.67 N | +71 | Mar. | 7.95-95 | +07 |
| Mar. | 16.73-74 | +67 | May | 7.90-91 | +07 |
| May | 16.84-84 | +67 | July | 7.89-90 | +06 |
| Oct. | 7.94-95 | +05 | | | |
| Dec. | 7.96-96 | +03 | | | |

| New York Sugar No. 4 | | | New York Silk | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mar. | 1.08½-09 B/A | +2 | Sept. | 1.71-73 B/A | +½ |

| Chicago Corn | | Winnipeg Wheat | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Dec. | 62¾-62⅞—¼ | Dec. | 49½-49⅜ —½ |
| May | 64⅜-64½—⅜ | May | 51½-51½ —½ |

| Winnipeg Wheat | | Montreal Silver | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Oct. | 61⅝-61¾—¼ | Sept. | 42.00 B unc. |
| Dec. | 61½-61⅝ —⅜ | | |

B—Bid A—Asked.—Reuter.

## British Rubber Stocks

London, Sept. 12.

Stocks of rubber in Great Britain on September 10 were estimated at 99,533 tons, showing a decrease of 192 tons from the previous week. The stock of rubber in London on September 10 totalled 65,214 tons, showing a decrease of 300 tons, while the stock at Liverpool was listed at 34,319 tons, representing an increase of 108 tons.

British rubber deliveries during the week ended September 10 amounted to 2,059 tons, compared with 1,079 tons during the previous week. Deliveries in the City during this period totalled 1,638 tons, showing an increase of 972 tons over the previous week, while Liverpool, with a total delivery of 418 tons, revealed a gain of 5 tons.—Reuter.

## Federal Reserve System

New York, Sept. 12.

The Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, in their report for the week ended September 7 respecting the entire body of reporting member banks of the System, reveal a decrease on total loans of $29,000,000 compared with the previous week and of $1,800,000,000 compared with the corresponding period last year.

Investments, however, show an increase of $10,000,000 over last week and of $327,000,000 over the same week in 1937. During the period under review, total loans were placed at $8,241,000,000 and investments at $12,601,000,000.—Reuter.

## U.S. Steel Mill Activity

New York, Sept. 12.

Steel mill operations in the United States for the week commencing on September 12th. were estimated at 45.3 per cent. of capacity, according to the weekly forecast by the American Iron and Steel Institute. This shows an advance of 5.4 per cent. compared with last week's estimate, when operations were predicted to be 39.9 per cent. of capacity.

The figure given for the corresponding period of last year was 80.4 per cent. or 35.1 per cent. higher than the current estimate.—Reuter.

CAPTAIN Edwin Francis Hannan, R.D., R.N.R., who recently commanded the P. & O. liner Naldera, after a period of sick leave has resigned from the company's service owing to considerations of health. Captain Hannan joined the P. & O. as fifth officer in 1905 and, except for a period of service in the Royal Navy during the War, he has been engaged consistently in the company's ships in the Indian, the Far Eastern, and Australian routes. Although Captain Hannan has been on the sick list for some time he is now so restored to health that he might again have returned to regular duty as commander of one of the company's liners. His medical adviser recommends, however, that he should, for the time being, retire from active service and enjoy some further months of rest in order completely to restore his health. During the War Captain Hannan was in the Macedonia, then an armed merchant cruiser. His ship was engaged in the operations which finally led to the destruction of the German Fleet in the Battle of the Falklands, and although he took no part in this action, his ship destroyed one of the German colliers. For the remainder of the War he was in one of the submarines of the 9th Flotilla based on Harwich and on duty in the North Sea.

## Int. Rubber Regulation Committee's Decision

### Quota for Final Quarter To Remain Unchanged

London, Sept. 13.

The decision of the International Rubber Regulation Committee to leave the quota for the final quarter unchanged at 45 per cent. brought about a marked improvement in sentiment in Mincing Lane yesterday, which even the over-hanging political uncertainty failed to damp.

Buying orders began to flow immediately after the announcement was made and the consequent firmness of the market was further enhanced when sellers adopted a markedly reserved attitude.

Buyers are now offering 8 1/16d. per pound for "spot," while business was done for April/June delivery up to 8 5/16d. per pound.

Leading rubber interests are of the opinion that any improvement in the Central European situation may well lead to early attainment of a 9d. level.

The next meeting of the International Rubber Regulation Committee has been provisionally arranged to take place on November 15.—Reuter.

## Paris Bourse

Paris, Sept. 12.

Owing to unfavourable reports from abroad and the speech to be made by Herr Hitler at Nuremberg this evening, the market opened weak in all counters on the Paris Bourse this morning.

During the session, light sales on an empty market resulted in a further decline and the close was effected at the lowest prices of the day.—Havas.

## MARKET PRICES

The following prices are the maximum for best cut or grade obtainable in Central and Western Markets on Sept. 13, 1938. Prices are quoted per lb. in Shanghai dollar-cents unless otherwise stated.

BUTCHER'S MEAT

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Beef | 25-50 | Pork | 30-40 |
| Veal | 40-1.00 | Mutton | 30-45 |

FISH

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Eel | 40 | Frog legs | 30 |
| Mackerel | 30-35 | Shrimps | 70 |
| Prawns ea | 8 | Carp | 40 |
| White bait | 30 | Mandarin | 60-30 |
| Yellow fish | 18-24 | Salmon | 40 |
| Soles | 30-35 | Cod | 25-30 |
| Cuttle Fish | 12 | Pomfret | 35 |

POULTRY, GAME AND EGGS

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Quail | 50 | Fowl | 55-60 |
| Pigeon | 30 | Spring Chicken | 55 |
| Duck eggs | 48-52 | Turkey | 55 |
| Duck ea. | 2.00 | Woodcock | 55 |
| Rabbits lb. | 60 | Goose | 3.00 |
| Chicken eggs | 50-80 | | |

VEGETABLES

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Asparagus | 80 | Horse radish | 12 |
| B'boo shoots | 20 | Leeks, bunch | 10 |
| Beans, French | 23 | Rhubarb | 30 |
| Beetroot | 15 | Young Carrots | 8 |
| Big marrow | 8 | Lettuce | 30 |
| Cucumber | 20 | Onions Amer. | 20 |
| Celery bunch | 8 | Onions, spr. | 8 |
| Cabbage | 25 | Parsnips | 8 |
| Carrots | 20 | Potatoes | 7 |
| Chilies | 25 | Potatoes Sweet | 6 |
| Egg-plant | 15 | Spinach | 16 |
| Endive, each | 20 | Tomatoes | 20 |
| Garlic | 15 | Turnips | 12 |
| Ginger | 15 | Corn each | 6 |
| Green Pepper | 40 | Water Bamboo | 20 |

FRUIT

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Chinese pears (Tientsin) | 20 | Chinese Apples | 15-20 |
| Grape Fruit ea. | 30 | Figs | 6-8 |
| Lemon ea. | 20 | Grape | 25 |
| Bananas | 8 | Pineapple | 10 |
| U. S. Oranges | 1.20 | Cheefoo Pear | 15-20 |
| Chestnuts | 20 | | |

GRAIN AND FLOUR

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Aus. Flour 49lb | 6.00 | Rice 220lb | 15.80 |
| U.S. | 9.50 | Saigon Rice | 16.20 |
| Ch. Flour 50lb. | 4.25 | | |

MILK

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Grade 'A' T.T. | 33-33 | cents per pint |
| Grade 'A' | 25-40 | cents per pint |
| Grade 'B' | 20-25 | cents per pint |

FODDER

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Bran 114lb | 3.20 | Barley 114lb | 5.40 |

FUEL

| | |
|---|---|
| Best Anthracite (metric tons) | 50.00 |
| No. 1 House Coal | 48.00 |
| No. 1 Kitchen Coal | 46.00 |
| Firewood 16 small Bundles | $1.00 |
| Charcoal (per 35 lb. Basket) | 1.80 |

## Canadian Wheat Yield

Ottawa, Sept. 12.

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics, Agricultural Branch, today issued the following preliminary estimate of the Canadian Wheat Yield for 1938:—

| | 1937 | 1938 bushels |
|---|---|---|
| Total Production (all Canada) | 188,191,000 | 358,433,000 |
| Including: | | |
| Spring Wheat | 168,999,000 | 338,396,000 |
| Autumn Wheat | 19,192,000 | 20,037,000 |

—Reuter.

## N.Y. Gold Engagements

New York, Sept. 12.

Gold to the value of $9,900,000 has been engaged for shipment to New York today. Of this amount, $4,200,000 will come from England and $5,700,000 from Japan.—Reuter.


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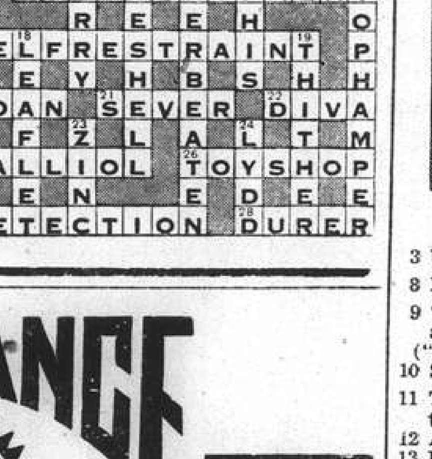


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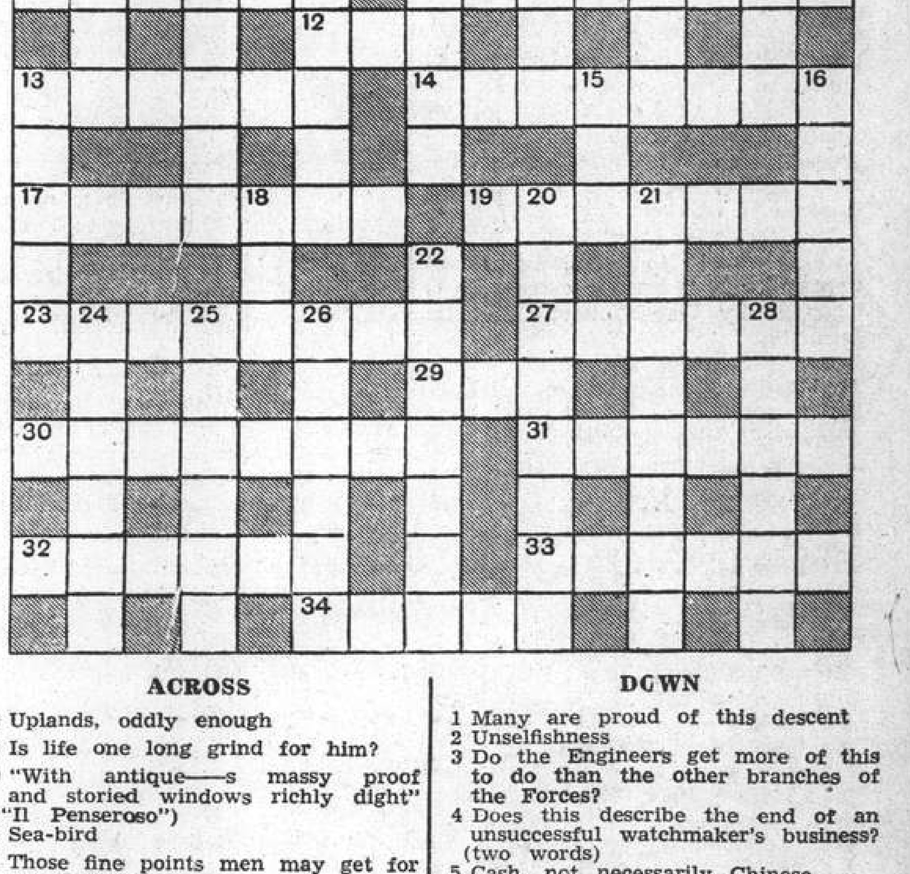

**ACROSS**

3 Uplands, oddly enough
8 Is life one long grind for him?
9 "With antique——s massy proof and storied windows richly dight" ("Il Penseroso")
10 Sea-bird
11 Those fine points men may get for the present
12 An eye shade
13 Foreign troops
14 Perpetual
17 Where the young may get experience, Frenchmen assimilate it together (two words)
19 Have a little drink of wine to get strength
23 A way of escape perhaps but not on the scaffold
27 Abscond
29 This man is an enemy to the poets
30 Vegetable
31 Something on the table to appreciate
32 View
33 See 16 down
34 Apparently not even in strange fashion

**DOWN**

1 Many are proud of this descent
2 Unselfishness
3 Do the Engineers get more of this to do than the other branches of the Forces?
4 Does this describe the end of an unsuccessful watchmaker's business? (two words)
5 Cash, not necessarily Chinese
6 In high spirits
7 This is obtained from a whale
13 This is bad among young people, but after fifty is permissible
15 Only a little drink but it might hurt
16 Costume to 33 across one
18 Tree
20 Describes a vessel moving, not necessarily a submarine (two words)
21 Strange this sort of person is only half untruthful
22 This sort of person is not vulgar and appears handsome in red
24 Fabulous creature
25 This sort of boat carries passengers as well
26 Does this town provide nothing but wine?
28 Shellfish

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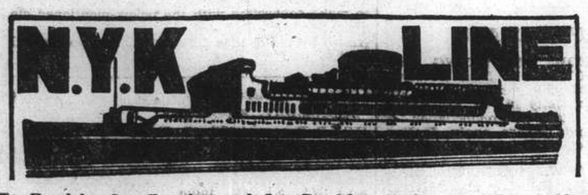


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| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| A† | SARPEDON | Sept. 17 | M'lles, London, R'dam, Glasgow |
| C | LAOMEDON | Sept. 19 | Havre, Liverpool and Bromborough |
| B*† | DEUCALION | Oct. 1 | M'lles, London, R'dam, H'burg, and Glasgow |
| A† | PATROCLUS | Oct. 15 | M'lles, London, R'dam and Glasgow |
| C | CYCLOPS | Oct. 18 | Havre, Liverpool and Bromborough |
| C* | MEMNON | Oct. 29 | M'lles, London, R'dam, H'burg, and Glasgow |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|
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| C | EURYMEDON | New York | Sept. 17 | Sept. 18 | Japan ports |
| C | MENTOR | Liverpool | Sept. 24 | Sept. 25 | Japan ports |
| C | MEMNON | Liverpool | Sept. 29 | Sept. 30 | Tsingtao and Japan ports |
| C | TALTHYBIUS | Pacific Coast | Oct. 1 | Oct. 4 | Hongkong |
| C | PHILOCTETES | Liverpool | Oct. 8 | Oct. 9 | Japan ports |
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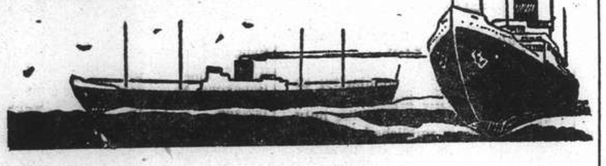

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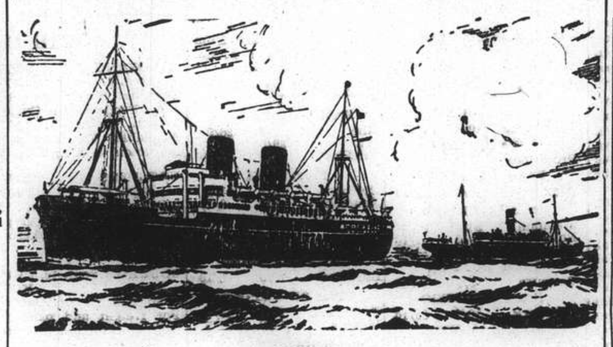

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|---|---|---|
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| | 27 †CARTHAGE | 15,000 |
| Oct. | 4 *SOUDAN | 6,700 |
| | 11 †RAJPUTANA | 17,000 |
| | 25 †RANCHI | 17,000 |

| | From Shanghai | Tonnage |
|---|---|---|
| Nov. | 1 *BURDWAN | 6,100 |
| | 8 RANPURA | 17,000 |
| | 22 †RAWALPINDI | 17,000 |
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|---|---|---|
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|---|---|---|
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| SS. TSINGTAO MARU ..... | Sept. 17 | Sept. 18 at 11 a.m. |
| SS. HOTEN MARU ..... | Sept. 19 | Sept. 21 at 11 a.m. |
| SS. DAIREN MARU ..... | Sept. 22 | Sept. 23 at 11 a.m. |
| SS. TSINGTAO MARU ..... | Sept. 24 | Sept. 26 at 11 a.m. |
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|---|---|---|---|
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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
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| Empress of Asia | Oct. 2 | Oct. 4 | Oct. 6 | Oct. 8 | — | Oct. 17 |
| Empress of Canada | Oct. 16 | — | Oct. 19 | Oct. 21 | Oct. 28 | Nov. 2 |
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|---|---|---|---|
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|---|---|---|---|---|
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| ms. Baloeran | 17,000 | Oct. 12 | Oct. 14 | Nov. 1 |
| ms. Christiaan Huygens | 15,700 | Oct. 26 | Oct. 28 | Nov. 15 |
| ms. Sibajak | 12,000 | Nov. 2 | Nov. 4 | Nov. 22 |
| ms. Johan v. Oldenbarnevelt | 19,000 | Nov. 16 | Nov. 18 | Dec. 6 |
| ms. DEMPO | 17,000 | Nov. 23 | Nov. 25 | Dec. 13 |
| ss. Johan de Witt | 10,400 | Dec. 7 | Dec. 9 | Dec. 28 |
| ms. Indrapoera | 10,800 | Dec. 14 | Dec. 16 | Jan. 3 |
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| ms. Baloeran | 17,000 | Jan. 4 | Jan. 6 | Jan. 24 |
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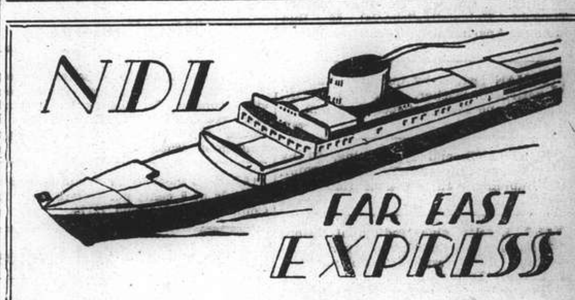


**Homewards:**
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SS. "SCHARNHORST" for Genoa, Southampton, Rotterdam, Bremen, Hamburg .. .. Sept. 20
MS. "ELBE" for Marseilles, Casablanca, Rotterdam, Hamburg, Bremen .. .. .. .. Oct. 13
SS. "POTSDAM" for Genoa, Southampton, Rotterdam, Bremen, Hamburg .. .. .. Oct. 18

**Outwards:**

| | | | Due Shanghai |
|---|---|---|---|
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| ss. POTSDAM ..... | Left Rotterdam ..... | Sept. 8 | Oct. 8 |
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NEW Leica 111A 5 cm. F1.2 with leather case, extra sun lens. What offer? Telephone 75698 10-12 noon 3-5 p.m. Sundays, holidays excluded. 11214

MANGO in oil; mango pulp; Peixe tamarindo Esmargalo; Chouricos Cozidos. Bombay Provision Store, 262 Avenue Road, Telephone 37940. -2046

GRAMOPHONE, Victor victrola, cabinet model $35; also one at $20. Many records including classics at $3 a dozen. Telephone 20397. -2814

NEW Remington typewriter with tools for office, $250. Stephen Co., 221 Foochow Road, Telephone 13861. -2755

SHIRTS made to order, Wemco Duro, from $7.50; Tootal, $10.50; silk, $8. Razon's, 12 Central Road. -2375

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WE offer cash for used cars and trucks. Apply Jenny's Motors, 177 Amiral Courbet. Telephone 73165. -1604

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SIAMESE kittens for sale. Male $20, females $10. Telephone 19230 or address Box 1503, NCDN. -2669

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TO LET, at 204 Ascot Apartments, 587 Bubbling Well Road, attractive and well-furnished rooms, suitable for business girls or bachelors. -11262

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**From GLASGOW**
Ajax 10/9 27/10
**From LIVERPOOL**
Memnon 20/8 29/9
Philoctetes 27/8 7/10
Agapenor 10/9 24/10
**From LONDON**
Ranpura 9/9 17/10
**From ANTWERP**
Danmark 10/9 30/10
**From HAMBURG**
Potsdam 3/9 8/10
**From ROTTERDAM**
Rames 2/9 21/10
**From MARSEILLES**
Antenor 9/9 13/10
**From TRIESTE**
Cortellazzo 20/8 7/10
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# *Vessels Leaving*

## NORTH CHINA COAST

**SHENGKING** Sept. 14. TSINGTAO, WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN. — From French Bund on Wednesday, September 14, at 10 a.m. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 14-9

**CHUNGKING** Sept. 15. TSINGTAO, WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN. — From French Bund on Thursday, September 15, at 1 p.m. For freight apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 15-9

**CHAKSANG** Sept. 17. TSINGTAO, WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Saturday, September 17, at 3.50 p.m. "B" Class Accommodation is Available For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 17-9

**PATROCLUS** 11,300 tons Sept. 17. TAKU BAR, YOKOHAMA and KOBE.—For passages and freight apply to Blue Funnel Line, agents, Butterfield & Swire, 21-23 French Bund. Tel. 82020. 17-9

**NORVIKEN** Sept. 20. TSINGTAO, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Tuesday, September 20. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 20-9

## SOUTH CHINA COAST

**SUIYANG** Sept. 14. AMOY, HONGKONG, HOIHOW, PAKHOI and HAIPHONG.—From French Bund on Wednesday, September 14, at 1 p.m. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 14-9

**LEESANG** Sept. 15. SWATOW, HONGKONG and CANTON.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Thursday, September 15, at 1 p.m. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 15-9

**NEWCHWANG** Sept. 16. SWATOW, HONGKONG and CANTON.—From French Bund on Friday, September 16, at 2.30 p.m. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 16-9

**HUPEH** Sept. 17. HONGKONG and CANTON.—From French Bund on Saturday, September 17, at 6 a.m. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 16-9

**KIANGSU** Sept. 17. SWATOW, HONGKONG, HOIHOW, PAKHOI and HAIPHONG.—From French Bund on Saturday, September 17, at 6 a.m. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 16-9

# *Vessels Leaving*

## SOUTH CHINA COAST

**WINGSANG** Sept. 17. SWATOW, HONGKONG and CANTON.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Buoys on Saturday, September 17, at 7.45 a.m. Tender from Customs Jetty 10 p.m. Friday and 7 a.m. Saturday. "B" Class Accommodation is Available. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 16-9

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**SOOCHOW** Sept. 18. CHUANCHOW, AMOY, HONGKONG and CANTON. — From French Bund on Sunday, September 18, at 6 a.m. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 17-9

**SANDVIKEN** Sept. 20. SWATOW and HONGKONG.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Tuesday, September 20. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 20-9

**SZECHUEN** Sept. 20. SWATOW, HONGKONG and CANTON.—From French Bund on Tuesday, September 20, at 7 a.m. For freight and passage, apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 19-9

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## JAPAN

**RAJPUTANA** Sept. 19. KOBE and YOKOHAMA. — Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co., Agents, P. & O. S. N. Co. No. 27 The Bund. Tel. No. 11428. 19-9

## STRAITS AND EUROPE

**MARECHAL JOFFRE** Sept. 15. MARSEILLES via HONGKONG SAIGON, SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, DJIBOUTI, SUEZ and PORT SAID.—Messageries Maritimes, 9 Avenue Edward VII. Tel. 82034. 15-9

**VICTORIA** Sept. 15. NAPLES and GENOA via HONGKONG, MANILA, SINGAPORE, BOMBAY, ADEN, MASSOWA and PORT SAID.—The Lloyd Triestino m.v. Victoria will sail from Shanghai on September 15, at 11 a.m. sharp. For Freight and Passage apply Lloyd Triestino, 26 The Bund. Tel. 16885. 15-9

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**TALABOT** Sept. 17. CASABLANCA, ANTWERP, ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG and OSLO via HONGKONG, SINGAPORE and PORT SAID.—Motor vessel Talabot of the Wilhelmsen Lines will be despatched from Shanghai on September 17, for the abovementioned ports. Through Bills of Lading issued for all Scandinavian and Baltic ports. For freight or passage please apply to Dodwell and Company, Ltd., 17 Canton Road. Tel. 11366. 17-9

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**REGENSBURG** Sept. 19. MALTA, MARSEILLES, CASABLANCA, ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG and BREMEN via HONGKONG, SINGAPORE, BELAWAN, PORT SAID.—For freight and passage apply to Melchers & Co., General-Agents, N.D.L., 210-214 Kiukiang Road. Tel. 15566. 19-9

**BEHAR** Sept. 20. MARSEILLES, CASABLANCA, HAVRE, LONDON, HULL, HAMBURG, ROTTERDAM and ANTWERP via HONGKONG, SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ and PORT CAID.—Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co., Agents, P. & O. S. N. Co. No. 27 The Bund. Tel. No. 11428. 20-9

**SCHARNHORST** Sept. 20. GENOA, SOUTHAMPTON, ROTTERDAM, BREMEN and HAMBURG via HONGKONG, MANILA, SINGAPORE, PENANG, BELAWAN, COLOMBO and PORT SAID. —For freight and passage apply to Melchers & Co., General Agents, N.D.L., 210-214 Kiukiang Road. Tel. 15566. 20-9

**INDIA** Sept. 23. PORT SAID, JAFFA, HAIFFA, CASABLANCA, ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG and COPENHAGEN via HONGKONG, MANILA and SINGAPORE.—The East Asiatic Co.'s Motorship India, Captain S. Krarup, will be despatched from Shanghai on or about September 23, for the above-mentioned ports. Cargo accepted on through Bills of Lading to all Continental, Baltic and Scandinavian ports. Optional Bills of Lading issued to U.K. ports. For freight and passage apply to Agency of The East Asiatic Co., Ltd., 17 Canton Road. Tel. 15055. 23-9

**YANGTSE** Sept. 26. ORAN, CASABLANCA, HAVRE, ANTWERP, DUNKIRK via ADEN and PORT SAID.—For particulars apply to Messageries Maritimes, 9 Avenue Edward VII. Tel. 82034. 26-9

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# *Post Office Notices*

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(Last connecting time from Sub-Offices to Head Office is 19.05 daily).

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| **WEDNESDAY, Sept. 14.** | | | | |
| U.S.S.R. Europe via Siberia | Shengking | | *19.00 | 7.30 |
| Tsingtao Wei. C'foo T'tsin | Shengking | | *20.00 | 7.30 |
| Wenchow | H. Peking | | 9.30 | 10.00 |
| Amoy and Hongkong | Suiyang | | 10.00 | 10.30 |
| Ningpo | Mohlenhof | X | 10.30 | 11.00 |
| Aust. N.Z. S.S. (Y) India (Y) Suez (Y) Europe (Y) | Mar. Joffre | A | 14.30 | 15.30 |
| Hongkong and Canton | Mar. Joffre | | 15.00 | 15.30 |
| Kiangpei Offices east of Haian | Tejo | | 16.30 | 17.00 |
| **THURSDAY, Sept. 15.** | | | | |
| Aust. N.Z. Manila S.S. Ceylon India Suez Europe | Victoria | B | *19.00 | 8.00 |
| Hongkong and Canton | Victoria | | 7.30 | 8.00 |
| Tsingtao Wei. C'foo T'tsin | Chungking | | 10.00 | 10.30 |
| Swatow Hongkong Canton | Leesang | | 10.00 | 10.30 |
| Wenchow | C. Paolini | | 11.30 | 12.00 |
| **FRIDAY, Sept. 16.** | | | | |
| Japan Korea via Nagasaki | Shanghai M. | | *19.00 | 7.15 |
| Tsingtao and Dairen | Dairen M. | | 8.00 | 8.30 |
| Swatow Hongkong Canton | Newchwang | | 11.30 | 12.00 |
| Indo-China (Z) via H'phong | Kiangsu | C | — | — |
| Swatow and Hongkong | Kiangsu | | 18.30 | 19.00 |
| Hongkong and Canton | Hupeh | | 18.30 | 19.00 |
| Swatow Hongkong Canton | Wingsang | | 18.30 | 19.00 |

* The night before.
A Parcel mail for France and other countries, closes at 12.00 on 14th.
B Parcel mail for S.S., F.M.S., Ceylon, India, Egypt, E-Soudan, Italy and other countries, closes at 16.00 on 14th.
C Parcel mail for Indo-China, closes at 16.00 on 16th.
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**Ocean Mails for Europe and America.**

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Next steamer mails will be closed as follow :—
ss. Marechal Joffre, via Suez, September 14, due London October 15.
ss. Victoria, via Suez, September 15, due London October 10.
ss. Empress of Japan, via Pacific, September 18, due London October 14.

**Air Mails**

Imperial Airways Service (Hongkong-Bangkok-London and Hongkong-Bangkok-Singapore-Australia) per ss. Victoria, at 8.00 a.m. on September 15, and due Rome on September 25, and London on September 26.
Pan American Airways Service (Hongkong-San Francisco per ss. Victoria, at 8.00 a.m. on Sept. 15, and due San Francisco on September 28.
Neth. (K.L.M.) Air Mail Service (Bandoeng-Amsterdam) per ss. Victoria, at 8.00 a.m. on September 15, and due Amsterdam on September 29, and London on September 30.
Air France (Saigon-Marseilles Line) per ss. Marechal Joffre, at 3.30 p.m. on September 14, and due Paris and London on September 30.
Air France (China-Hanoi-Marseilles Lines) per available str. to H'kong for transmission via Canton.
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**Train Mail**

Light mails for or via Pengpu, Wuhu, Hangchow and N.S.R. close daily, at 8.30 p.m.
Light mails for or via River Ports beyond Kiukiang per available steamer via Canton.

# *Vessels Leaving (cont.)*

## STRAITS AND EUROPE

**NAGARA** Sept. 25. ALGIERS, ORAN, CASABLANCA, ANTWERP, ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG, OSLO and GOTHENBURG.—The Swedish East Asiatic Co., Ltd.'s m.s. Nagara will leave Shanghai on or about September 25, for the above mentioned port. Through Bills of Lading to all Scandinavian and Baltic ports. Cargo for U.K. ports accepted on optional Bills of Lading. For freight and passage please apply to The Ekman Foreign Agencies, Ltd., Hamilton House, Foochow Road Entrance. Tel. 11330. 25-9

**CARTHAGE** Sept. 27. MARSEILLES and LONDON via HONGKONG, SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, ADEN, PORT SAID and MALTA. Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co., Agents. P. & O. S. N. Co. No. 27 The Bund. Tel. No. 11428. 27-9

## AMERICA

**GERTRUDE MAERSK** Sept. 16. LOS ANGELES and via PANAMA to NEW YORK, BOSTON, PHILADELPHIA, BALTIMORE, SAVANNAH and NORFOLK.—For freight and passage apply to Melchers & Co., Agents, Maersk Line, 210-214 Kiukiang Road. Tel. 15566. 16-9

## AUSTRALASIA

**NANKIN** Oct. 1. SYDNEY and MELBOURNE via (From Hongkong) PORTS.—Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co., Agents. E. & A. S. S. Co., Ltd. No. 27 The Bund. No. No. 11428. 1-10

# *Weather, Time and Tide*

| Wednesday, Sept. 14, 1938 (21st day of 7th moon) | SICCAWEI September 12 16.00 | 21.00 | September 13 4.00 | 9.00 | GUTZLAFF 9.00 | 14.00 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Barometer inches | 30.01 | 30.06 | 30.06 | 30.11 | — | — |
| at 32 F. (variation for 24 hrs.) | +0.05 | +0.06 | +0.06 | +0.06 | — | — |
| at 32 F. ( " " 12 hrs.) | +0.01 | +0.01 | +0.05 | +0.05 | — | — |
| Wind (direction) | ESE | S | ENE | ENE | — | — |
| " (miles per hour) | 5.0 | 5.5 | 1.9 | 10.6 | — | — |
| Temperature (Fahr.) | 85.°3 | 68.°9 | 70.°5 | 75.°9 | — | — |
| Humidity % | 53 | 93 | 98 | 81 | — | — |
| Nebulosity (0 to 10) | 3 | 1 | 10 | 10 | — | — |
| Rainfall inches | — | — | — | — | — | — |

| Siccawei Abridged Report September 12 | Mean 1938 | 24 hours variation | Previous average same period (65 years) |
|---|---|---|---|
| Barometer (mean 4 obs.) | 30.03 | +0.06 | 29.90 |
| Temp. Min. 66.°9 Max. 88.°3 | 77.°6 | +4.°8 | 73.°8 |
| Total rainfall January 1 to midnight before last (inches) | 42.67 | — | 35.93 |

| Date | 14/9 | 15/9 | 16/9 | 17/9 | 18/9 | 